

**Grand Lodge
A.F. & A.M. of Canada
in the Province of Ontario**



**PROCEEDINGS
2007**



**GRAND LODGE
A.F. & A.M. OF CANADA
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**ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SECOND
ANNUAL COMMUNICATION
HELD IN
THE CITY OF
TORONTO**

July 18th, A.D. 2007, A.L. 6007



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MOST WORSHIPFUL BROTHER
ALLAN J. PETRISOR
GRAND MASTER

A BRIEF BIOGRAPHY OF OUR GRAND MASTER

M.W. Bro. Petrisor was born in Hamilton, Ontario, February 2, 1944 (Groundhog day) and was raised on a farm in Orkney (just west of Hamilton).

He attended Dundas District High School and graduated from the University of Toronto in 1967 with a Doctor of Dental Surgery degree.

He served one-year in Sioux Lookout with the Red Cross Youth Dental Coach, then in 1968 opened his dental practice at 22 Wellington St. North, Woodstock. He maintains membership in Local, Provincial and National Dental Associations and has served as President of the Oxford County Dental Society.

He is a Life Member of Mercer Wilson Lodge No. 678, Woodstock, being initiated on November 25, 1970, installed as its Worshipful Master in January, 1979. He is also a member of Millennium Lodge and The Heritage (Research) Lodge No. 730, where in March 2003, at Ingersoll, Ontario, he presented the paper ..."King Hiram – From Strength to Strength".

He holds Honourary membership in Oxford Lodge No. 76, Woodstock, Brant Lodge No. 45, Brantford, London Daylight Lodge No. 735, London, Manito Lodge No. 90, Collingwood, Mystic Tie Lodge No. 279, Cambridge and University Lodge No. 496, Toronto.

Elected D.D.G.M. of Wilson North District in 1995, he was appointed to the Board of General Purposes in 1997 and elected to the Board in 1999, 2001 and 2003. Elected Deputy Grand Master in July 2005. Installed as Grand Master in July 2007. He served on several committees including Management, Masonic Holdings, Membership and Public Relations.

M.W. Bro. Petrisor is the Grand Representative of the Grand Lodge of Japan near our Grand Lodge.

He is a Scottish Rite life member of the Woodstock Valley Lodge of Perfection, Centennial Chapter of Rose Croix and Moore Sovereign Consistory, Hamilton. He was Most Wise Sovereign in 1990, and coroneted an Honorary Inspector General of the Supreme Council receiving his 33rd degree at Winnipeg in September 2000.

First Principal, Oxford Chapter No. 18, Royal Arch Masons in 1990, he is a member of the amalgamated Oxford-Harris Chapter No. 18, Ingersoll and St. Elmo Preceptory, Stratford.

He is a life member of the Mocha Temple Shrine Club, London and member of the Woodstock Shrine Club.

Our Grand Master was inducted into the Royal Order of Scotland in October 2005.

A member of the Lions Club, Woodstock since 1968 (having served as its President in 1975) he has received the Melvin Jones Fellow award from the Lions Club International Foundation for Humanitarian Service.

He received the Wes Magill award for meritorious service from the United Way, Oxford County and served a 12-year term as director on the Woodstock Hospital Foundation Board.

He is proud to have been a Member of the Woodstock Choralaires, a mixed choral singing group, for over 30 years, participating in several of their overseas singing tours to the U.K. and Continent.

A member of Chalmers United Church, Woodstock, he has enjoyed participation in the choir.

Married to Mary, they reside on a couple of acres outside of Woodstock, have five adult children and six grandchildren (three in Canada and three in the U.K.). Both enjoy their leisure time traveling and at their cottage on the Lake of Bays.

GRAND LODGE A.F. & A.M. OF CANADA in the Province of Ontario

At the One Hundred and Fifty-second Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada, in the Province of Ontario, held in the City of Toronto, commencing Wednesday, July 18, A.D. 2007, A.L. 6007,

Present were:

THE GRAND MASTER
M.W. Bro. Gary L. Atkinson

THE DEPUTY GRAND MASTER
R.W. Bro. Allan J. Petrisor

R.W. Bro. Peter D. Tink	Grand Chaplain
R.W. Bro. T. Richard Davies	Grand Treasurer
M.W. Bro. Terence Shand	Grand Secretary
R.W. Bro. Allen H. Hackett	Grand Registrar
R.W. Bro. Arthur Stokes	Grand Director of Ceremonies

PAST GRAND MASTERS

M.W. Bros. R. E. Davies, R. E. Groshaw, W. R. Pellow, C. E. Drew, D. I. Greenwood, T. Shand, D. H. Mumby.

THE DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS

Algoma	Patrick G. Curran	Ottawa 1	Barry F. Burchill
Algoma East	Patrick W. O'Shaughnessy	Ottawa 2	Norman E. Brooks
Brant	Randy J. Hunt	Peterborough	O. Harold Grills
Bruce	Terrance J. Murphy	Prince Edward	Gerald A. Davidson
Chatham	Ronald F. Fuller	St Lawrence	Leonard B. Vincent
Eastern	Gary C. MacGregor	St Thomas	David W. Nichols
Erie	R. Bruce Jackson	Sarnia	Leslie F. Armstrong
Frontenac	Raymond B. Winfield	South Huron	Allan M. Stewart
Georgian North	Brian E. Seabourn	Sudbury-Manitoulin	Peter L. Gordon
Georgian South	Wm. W. W. McCulloch	Temiskaming	Richard R. Kallio
Grey	F. Gordon Hedges	Tor. Don Valley	Keith F. Macdonald
Hamilton A	D. J. Ivan Elliot	Toronto East	Robert McDowell
Hamilton B	David Gibson	Tor. Hum. Valley	Paul J. Monaghan
Hamilton C	Eduardo J. Cordero	Toronto West	Charles A. Woods
London East	Raymond Charles	Toronto York	G. S. Joe Whitmore
London West	David R. B. Kennedy	Victoria	Donald M. Burgomaster
Muskoka-Parry Sound	Garnet E. Schenk	Waterloo	Glenn Russell
Niagara A	J. David Prudhomme	Wellington	Donald J. Hamilton
Niagara B	Robert W. Piper	Western	Terry A. Dunbar
Nipissing East	Edward D. Bateman	Wilson North	Beverley C. Burrill
North Huron	Larry J. Harper	Wilson South	Neil A. Dolson
Ontario	Robert E. Jones	Windsor	Don Warner

BOARD MEMBERS

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GRAND REPRESENTATIVES

R. E. Davies	England	D. H. Mumby	Rhode Island
W. R. Pellow	Ireland	D. M. Sheen	Tennessee
R. E. Groshaw	Scotland	M. L. Shea	Utah
D. A. Campbell	Alberta	S. R. Drummond	West Virginia
R. A. Barnett	British Columbia	F. Halpern	Austria
A. P. Stephen	Manitoba	A. Stokes	Bulgaria
T. Shand	Newfoundland/Labrador	J. H. Hough	Burkina Faso
F. G. Dunn	Nova Scotia	R. S. J. Daniels	Maranhao
T. E. Lewis	Prince Edward Island	G. H. Hazlitt	Mato Grosso do Sul
T. D. Pachal	Saskatchewan	R. K. Spence	Mina Gerais
A. Simpson	Alabama	E. Jones	Para
T. W. Hogeboom	Alaska	J. D. Bell	Santa Catarina
A. B. Loopstra	Arizona	B. J. Hutton	Costa Rica
H. P. Wilson	Arkansas	P. G. Farrell	Croatia
C. M. Miller	Colorado	T. P. Hansen	Denmark
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G. E. Hinds	Delaware	M. J. Duke	Ecuador
J. M. Wagg	District of Columbia	J. A. Hughes	Iceland
T. A. McLean	Georgia	W. E. McLeod	India
J. P. McLaughlin	Hawaii	G. W. Nelson	Iran
D. A. Conway	Idaho	S. H. Cohen	Israel
J. M. Jolley	Kansas	A. J. Petrisor	Japan
L. E. Behrns	Kentucky	D. Langridge	Luxembourg
K. L. Whiting	Louisiana	N. G. Stacey	Madagascar
L. W. Westwell	Maine	R. K. Campbell	York
J. D. Angus	Maryland	B. K. Schweitzer	Netherlands
T. V. Horner	Michigan	T. R. Davies	New South Wales
J. T. Cassie	Minnesota	A. D. Hogg	New Zealand
J. V. Lawer	Missouri	J. D. Jackson	Norway
K. L. Schweitzer	Montana	C. R. Alexander	Peru
R. G. Wands	Nebraska	P. W. Hooper	Puerto Rico
D. G. Dowling	New Hampshire	R. T. Runciman	Queensland
W. E. Elgie	New Jersey	B. E. Bond	South Australia
C. E. Drew	New York	J. W. Lidstone	Switzerland
P. E. Todd	North Dakota	J. R. Gilpin	Tasmania
D. I. Greenwood	Ohio	R. C. Tate	Venezuela
M. J. Thompson	Oklahoma	A. A. Barker	Victoria

The Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Gary L. Atkinson, distinguished guests and officers of Grand Lodge took their places in the Canadian Room of the Fairmont Royal York Hotel at 8:35 a.m. in the forenoon, and Grand Lodge was opened forthwith.

MASON'S ADMITTED

The Grand Master invited all Masons to enter.

ANTHEM

The brethren joined in singing O Canada followed by the Star Spangled Banner and God Save the Queen.

DELEGATES REGISTERED

ALGOMA DISTRICT

No. 287	T. Charlton, P. Curran, J. Kingston, J. Quaid	No. 618	B. Barten
No. 415	E. Johnson	No. 636	P. Curran
No. 499	D. Bradley	No. 656	E. Johnson
No. 511	T. Appelt	No. 662	P. Curran
No. 584	D. Baxter, E. Johnson, W. Towill	No. 672	J. Kingston

ALGOMA EAST DISTRICT

No. 442	K. Chillman, K. Beggs, D. Greenwood, M. Stewart	No. 622	W. Pellow
No. 469	R. McCutcheon, J. Lewis, G. Mart, G. Masters, W. Vair, W. Weeks	No. 625	I. Little, K. MacKenzie, R. Schroeder
No. 487	G. Hopcraft, A. Pitre	No. 680	P. O'Shaughnessy, L. Staines,
		No. 698	M. MacKnight, R. McCutcheon

BRANT DISTRICT

No. 35	W. Harris, R. Gibson, K. Hannah, F. Topp, W. Topp	No. 243	W. Lawrence, R. Bailey, J. Hibbert, F. Kalliokoski, E. Sager,
No. 45	S. Clarke, A. Barker, J. Creamer, D. Dawson, J. Herron, W. Martin, A. Petrisor, D. Smith	No. 319	V. McCurdy
No. 82	A. Devereux, G. Atkinson, T. Forbes, R. Jackson, C. Oliver, D. Sandison, R. Stinson	No. 329	J. Kitchen, E. Payne, D. Dawson, J. Herron, W. Martin, H. Parker, K. Post, K. Schweitzer, D. Smith
No. 106	K. Lovett, A. Barker, S. Dekruyf, J. Mitchell	No. 505	W. McCormack, F. Englebrecht, G. Beattie, R. Hunt, D. Knight, J. Telfer
No. 113	J. Paquette, R. Anderson, D. Elliott, D. Kaufman, H. Misener, D. Mumby	No. 508	R. McSkimmings, R. McSkimmings, R. Davies, P. Scott, R. Todd
No. 193	G. Frew, J. Shaver	No. 515	D. Fletcher, D. Sandison, R. Stinson
		No. 519	R. Glass, A. Haggith, W. Langs

BRUCE DISTRICT

No. 131	W. Boose, F. Eagleson, E. Richard	No. 362	R. Smith, P. Best, L. Hammell, R. Ruff, B. Smith
No. 197	R. Willick, H. Ziegler, S. Ernewein, D. Inglis, C. Reidl, H. Stump	No. 393	R. Dunn, J. Moncrieff, T. Murphy
No. 235	I. Cumming, W. Bryce, B. Cumming, J. Cumming, S. Cumming, B. Dayman, J. Green, D. Greenwood, B. Hall, J. Kline, K. MacLean, O. Parsons	No. 396	D. Madill, J. Miller, C. Noble
No. 262	D. McCulloch, A. Faulkner, D. Greenwood, T. Heise, A. Jaunzemis, D. Simpson, P. Wallace	No. 429	W. Blackwell, B. Follett, D. Banks, K. Cunningham, L. Hammell, F. Richardson,
No. 315	B. Shannon, R. Donaldson, J. Lyall, R. Ashbourne, R. Harkness, L. Harkness, M. Mulholland, R. Walsh, S. Wright	No. 431	W. Abell, B. Dayman
		No. 432	D. Wilde, D. Bentley, G. MacGregor, A. Morrow, E. Scarborough,
		No. 436	J. Wallace, W. Abbs, G. Atkinson, D. Greenwood, R. Lesperance, G. MacDonnell, D. Matches, R. Pringle, B. Radbourne

CHATHAM DISTRICT

No. 46	W. Lockhart, W. Barnes, B. Case, J. Creasey, J. Hornell, W. O'Sullivan, B. Wright	No. 312	P. Polkinghorne
No. 245	K. Hetherington, D. Atkinson, B. Dawson, N. Kelley	No. 327	A. Cipu, R. Johnson, R. McNaughton, R. Munro, W. Pellow
No. 267	G. Vojvodin, J. Van Veen, G. Betts, D. Hewitson, R. Iles, P. Japp, P. Japp, R. Pickering, R. Pickering, J. Simpson, R. Wood	No. 336	C. Sloan, E. Morwood, W. Durer, A. Fenton, B. Sloan
No. 274	B. Case, D. Jacklin, B. Wright	No. 391	P. Reynolds, D. Clark, C. Gibson, W. Pellow, R. Spence, T. Spence, W. Spence, K. Spence
No. 282	K. Dickie, R. McNaughton, G. Atkinson, B. McLean	No. 422	R. Munro, A. Cipu, R. Johnson
		No. 457	W. Clayton, D. McAleece, C. Stover

EASTERN DISTRICT

No. 21a	A. Ciastek, C. Deacon, D. Mumby, D. Peate	No. 320	J. Tutton, C. Deacon
No. 125	F. Gordon	No. 383	NOT REPRESENTED
No. 143	D. Roddick, D. Salt, J. Tousaw, D. Tryon	No. 418	NOT REPRESENTED
No. 186	J. Cleary, J. Clemens, M. Moor	No. 439	NOT REPRESENTED
No. 207	L. Fournier, D. Fraser, D. Fraser, Z. Loos, G. MacGregor, D. Mumby, S. Upton	No. 450	NOT REPRESENTED
No. 256	D. Tyrell	No. 452	S. Prosser
		No. 491	NOT REPRESENTED
		No. 557	NOT REPRESENTED

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No. 596 NOT REPRESENTED

EASTERN DISTRICT (cont'd)

No. 669 K. Copping, S. Libbey

ERIE DISTRICT

No. 34 W. Atkinson, W. Atkinson, S. Atkinson,
P. Hooper, R. Truan, P. Wiebe
No. 41 F. Momminie, R. Golden, N. Lumley, T.
Warner, R. Washburn
No. 290 A. Dobbie, J. Jackson, E. Jones, G.
Jraige, G. Stevenson, T. Whittle, D. Wilkinson
No. 395 D. Hazaël, R. McKinlay
No. 402 J. Spence

No. 413 D. Pardo, D. Tight
No. 448 T. Chute, S. Clements, D. Derbyshire, R.
Jackson, H. Overholt, H. Walker
No. 488 A. Dobbie, G. Atkinson, P. Hooper, N.
Lumley, L. Wood
No. 627 E. Ball, D. Derbyshire, G. Hughson, I.
Hunter, C. O'Hara, D. Pardo, G. Pinnegar, R.
Washburn

FRONTENAC DISTRICT

No. 3 R. Bogle, T. Barber, G. Atkinson, L.
Barrie, S. Hampton, R. Hill, R. Paddle, D. Wilkie
No. 9 NOT REPRESENTED
No. 92 R. Monahan, D. Hay, J. Schaeffer
No. 109 B. Shanas, R. Galbraith, J. Murton, J.
Percy, D. Rickards,
No. 119 T. Hogboom, G. McDonald, C. Falan,
D. Galt, T. Hansen, T. Horner, D. Mumby, J.
Roblin, E. Thomas, L. Wilbraham, R. Woods
No. 146 M. Switzer, D. Scott
No. 157 J. Seeley
No. 201 J. Gacke, S. Hampton, R. Abrams, C.
Gibbins, R. Prosser, R. Winfield, D. Wood
No. 228 D. Rickards

No. 253 H. Mierau, D. Mumby
No. 299 P. Peters, E. Peters, C. Farber, D.
Greenwood, C. Harry, J. Harry
No. 404 NOT REPRESENTED
No. 460 C. Dixon, K. Perry, J. Schaeffer
No. 497 J. Gibbs, A. Maitland, H. O'Brien
No. 578 D. Quinn, B. Shanas
No. 585 NOT REPRESENTED
No. 621 S. Spanchak, J. Bowick, V. Garrett, R.
Magie
No. 739 G. Ballard, J. Bowick, C. Dixon, C.
Falan, V. Garrett, R. Hill, T. Hogboom, K. Perry,
J. Roblin, J. Schaeffer, F. Warner, R. Winfield, R.
Woods

GEORGIAN NORTH DISTRICT

No. 90 R. Firman, S. Connors, C. Elliott, D.
McCutcheon, A. Petrisor
No. 192 G. Murfitt, C. Couper, R. Daniels, P.
Hayes, B. Lamont
No. 234 J. Demerse, R. Firman
No. 249 G. Watters, A. Matheson, D. Walker
No. 266 D. Powers, C. Lohnes, G. Christopher, J.
Demerse, D. McCutcheon, E. McGauley, N.
Pollard, R. Richardson, G. Spencer, M. Tosh
No. 348 S. Maddock, G. Price

No. 466 D. Chabot, A. Hope, S. Maddock, C.
Norwood, D. Snedden
No. 470 J. Lidstone, H. Belfry, W. Bevis, L.
Brandridge, J. Lidstone, D. Walker
No. 492 R. Beckett
No. 538 D. Stewart, N. Mills, G. Price, B.
Seabourn, D. Walker
No. 659 T. Harland, D. Purvis
No. 718 J. McMahon, D. Hawman, J. Hough, A.
Hutt

GEORGIAN SOUTH DISTRICT

No. 96 J. Beatty, W. Hawthorne, W. Hake, G.
Anderson, G. Atkinson, R. Beatty, D. Bradley, R.
Greer, J. McGowan, H. Welsh
No. 230 J. Anderson, D. Conway, C. Goodman,
B. Lamont, W. McCulloch, D. McCutcheon, D.
Mumby, C. Neale, N. Pollard, D. Snedden
No. 385 J. Johnson, P. Gower, R. Groshaw, R.
Steinmar, D. Todd
No. 444 F. Webster, J. Jones, B. Lawson, D.
McCutcheon
No. 467 W. Benstead, J. Wilson

No. 236 H. Welsh
No. 285 P. Sawyer, J. Anderson, W. Clayton, P.
Gower, W. Innes, H. Oliver, R. Roberts, C.
Winter
No. 304 J. Bunt, D. Campbell, C. Crews, L. Jack,
K. Linegar
No. 673 P. Johnston, C. Drew
No. 737 D. Boyd, J. Boynton, D. Campbell, C.
Crews, L. Jack, K. Linegar, R. MacDonald, J.
Terry, M. Tosh, H. Welsh

GREY DISTRICT

No. 88 G. Atkinson, W. Laycock, G. Walker, W.
Watt, M. Wood
No. 137 J. Jolley, F. Moore, G. Wyville
No. 200 R. Davies, W. Ellison, G. Krueger, R.
Leith, R. Lemaich, R. MacEachern, M. Nicholson,
B. Pawliw, J. Watkin, A. Watson, D. Wilde, A.
Wilson
No. 216 E. Alexander, F. Lonergan, S. Brass, D.
Brown, D. Clark, S. Doney, J. Lowery, C. Miller,
P. Park, T. Rielly
No. 306 J. Bell, C. McCracken, A. Bell, E. Clark,
R. McCutcheon, D. McCutcheon, D.
McNaughton, J. Moncrieff, D. Wilde

No. 322 C. Rawns, R. Alexander, J. Gardhouse, D.
Graham, W. Griffith, G. Heathers, E. Robertson,
G. Splan, R. White
No. 333 M. Parks
No. 334 F. McEachern, T. Brown, W. Orr,
K. Rutherford, W. Smellie
No. 377 S. Doney, C. McKee, J. Nixon
No. 421 R. Demerchant, D. Greenwood, C. Hillis,
A. Townsend, R. West, R. Woods
No. 449 W. Bennett, J. Priddle, D. Dobson, W.
Seeley
No. 490 G. Aitken, J. Coultes, D. Dixon, G.
Hedges, C. Hedges, L. Whyte, G. Wyville

HAMILTON DISTRICT A

No. 6 A. Kennedy, W. Braun, R. Armstrong, B. Alexander, G. Benton, J. Hough, C. Lemmex, W. MacKenzie, R. McNair, K. Nickerson
 No. 40 M. DeAbreu, N. Hollingshead, T. Shand
 No. 135 J. Hough, J. Burns, W. Chisholm, R. Featherstone, J. Forrester, J. Hunter, D. Rowbottom, R. Simpson
 No. 165 S. Gillies, J. Hanna, P. Lyles, D. McFadgen, M. Smith
 No. 357 S. Chick, E. Ellis, W. Forth, J. Scott
 No. 400 H. Lochbihler, W. Denison, R. Dunn, G. Fairbairn, J. Forrester, G. Humes, J. Logan, R. Richardson, G. Salton, R. Walsh, S. Warren, E. Warren, B. Woods
 No. 475 M. Henderson, W. Rea, G. Brisco, D. Lyle, J. Mannisto, R. Maxwell, C. McMillan
 No. 551 W. Cowell, K. Brown, C. Cleaver, T. McFadgen, E. Patton, G. Robbins

HAMILTON DISTRICT B

No. 7 R. Beringer, M. Reining, J. Stewart, H. Betzner, R. Brooks, C. Brooks, J. Hunter, D. Kemp, R. McMaster, D. Sutherland, T. Wills
 No. 27 N. Cameron, F. Inch, M. May, R. Naylor, K. Richardson, D. Warrington
 No. 57 B. Teskey, K. Etsell, N. Dolson, L. Domjan, B. Schweitzer, M. Smith
 No. 61 V. Abraham, G. Atkinson, D. Jagger, R. Luxon, H. Standish
 No. 62 L. Sherritt, K. Cosier, R. Edwards, T. Forbes, W. Lanigan, A. Murphy, L. Salmon
 No. 166 J. Beattie, G. Watt, B. Allan, G. Atkinson, R. Bhimsingh, W. Cowell, D.

HAMILTON DISTRICT C

No. 100 W. Brimer, W. Millar, P. Mouropoulos, R. Parliament
 No. 272 R. Fiddes, R. Forbes, R. Gordon, T. Marshall
 No. 291 G. Benton
 No. 324 M. Petko, K. Adamson, D. Beland, H. Hillgren, A. Loopstra, B. Thomas, R. Whitmore
 No. 495 J. Slade, J. Bennett, J. Hamilton, T. Kazias, W. Millar, P. Mouropoulos, D. Sutton
 No. 513 B. Carr, G. Chiarot, J. Aikman, D. Jagger, G. Knox, M. Oddi, R. Stewart
 No. 549 V. Balta, W. Brimer, J. Kitchen, D. Stone, C. Tootell
 No. 550 D. Falconer, P. James, M. Kingsley, W. Rutledge, B. Thomas
 No. 555 J. Boyd, F. Fordham, J. Lyness, J. MacPherson
 No. 602 J. Terence, E. Patterson, M. McCulloch, D.

Falconer, C. Foreman, J. Harrop, J. Johnston, B. Kierman, A. McQuilkie, B. Pirie, M. Tees, S. Thiede
 No. 654 I. MacLean, P. Shames, J. Aikman, E. Cordero, J. Dove, W. Elgie, R. Gilbank, D. Jagger, W. MacPherson, N. McCarthy, D. Monteith, D. Mumby, M. Sheridan, R. Wands, A. Ward
 No. 671 D. Midgley, R. Beres, D. Falconer, P. James, P. Mount, R. Naylor, D. Robinson
 No. 679 M. Horne, C. Lemmex, K. Adamson, W. Brimer, W. Brooks, J. Carrick, W. Cowell, W. Forth, R. Gilbank, S. Gillies, D. Jagger, R. Kerr, R. Luxon, G. McMullen, R. McNair, A. Murphy, R. Parliament, D. Robinson, R. Todd, C. Tootell, E. Warren
 No. 687 I. Metcalfe, E. Cordero, R. Joyce, R. Parliament, B. Thomas, D. Wood

LONDON EAST DISTRICT

No. 20 M. Brown, C. Mortlock, W. Anderson, R. Arnold, G. Atkinson, S. Baker, G. Brown, N. Camp, R. Dagg, D. Greenwood, S. Hanna, R. Keeler, L. Martin, J. Mellor, R. More, R. Parker, W. Pellow
 No. 64 A. Sloan, R. Leffley, G. Ulyatt, G. Atkinson, D. Blakey, R. Charles, I. Dale, D. Dowling, R. Forbes, J. Ford, R. Hopkins, P. Masters, B. Maxwell, R. McSkimmings, W. Pellow, F. Smith, J. Stevens
 No. 190 F. Satterley, R. Somers
 No. 300 W. Deller, G. Atkinson, J. Clays, A. Gillies, W. Pellow, J. Ross, J. Sutherland
 No. 344 P. Styles, N. Dix
 No. 345 W. Sershall, W. Benn, R. Rossi, D. Fickling, B. Fickling, M. Gibson, N. Lansdell, L. Lefluer, W. McCrady, D. Wilbee
 No. 379 J. Barton, B. Bebee, J. Black, R. Lee, R. Parker, W. Pellow, G. Ulyatt
 No. 380 J. Kaiser, J. Calverley, L. Hartin, C. Hatt, A. Ingrey, C. MacKewn, K. Parker
 No. 394 R. Warner, H. Sims
 No. 399 F. Satterley, L. Martin, J. Ford, J. Kramer, L. Lefluer, J. Parker, W. Pellow, W. Walker, W. White
 No. 597 J. Parker, A. Ellison, M. Ford, M. Graystone, S. Hanna, L. Martin, R. Milliken, W. Pellow, R. Wakefield
 No. 684 R. Barnett, W. Barnett, J. Baskey, B. Bebee, J. Cassie, R. Davies, C. Drew, M. Farr, D. Fick, R. Groshaw, S. Hanna, G. Hazlitt, N. Lansdell, R. MacKenzie, C. MacKewn, J. McIntyre, W. Pellow, S. Ricketts, T. Schreiter, T.

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 Ulliyatt, R. VanRiesen
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Baskey, R. Buchanan, C. Cappa, D. Clark, W.
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 Watkins

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 Beaton, D. Burrows, P. Hutchinson, E. Jones,
 B. Lyle, J. MacKay, J. Radcliffe, J. Ticknor,
 W. White
 No. 81 J. McLean, J. Rowe, W. Sutherland
 No. 107 R. Beringer, J. Dyer, C. Hatt, J.
 Henderson, J. McKaig, J. McLean
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 Drew, G. Jackson, G. Walker
 No. 209a J. Fitzgerald, P. Davidson, R.
 Gonzales, R. Buchanan, S. Budge, N.
 Cameron, C. Crow, D. Davidson, M. Diamond,
 M. May, W. Pellow
 No. 289 D. Barber, H. Lock, S. Baker, I. Dale,
 D. Dowling, W. Frank, T. Shand, W. Tunks, P.
 Turner, D. Watkins
 No. 330 C. Angyal, T. Haight, W. Booth, C.

Cappa, D. Humphrey, J. McKaig, A. Smuck,
 W. Walker
 No. 358 B. Dawson
 No. 378 D. Gibson, A. Howard, W. Anderson,
 G. Atkinson, L. Behrns, J. Brewe, M. Harrison,
 W. Pellow
 No. 388 A. Robson, A. Saska, F. Clement, D.
 Coughlan, D. Kennedy, S. McNair, J. Stevens
 No. 529 B. Peck, P. Styles, W. Tunks
 No. 580 NOT REPRESENTED
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 L. Carter, M. Dale, E. Davy, D. Tucker
 No. 708 G. Maitland, K. Anderson, J. Angus,
 D. Bradley, C. Cappa, W. Clare, R. Day, M.
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 No. 360 P. Baker, R. Thaler, A. Sefton, M.
 Beaumont, D. Beaumont, R. Daniels, R. Davies,
 E. Goldthorp, M. Knowles, J. Lidstone, K.
 Lovelock, D. Mahon, B. Roberts, M. Shea, I.
 Speicher, T. Taylor, I. Wates
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 B. Boltauzer, D. Conway, V. Cormack, F.
 Dimmick, W. Hawkins, W. Jevons, H. Johnson,
 R. Munroe, R. Romberg, T. Shand, A. Stephen

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 Williams
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 Parker, J. Quinn, D. Woodhouse
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 No. 32 B. Fretz, J. Arion, J. Hart
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 Mallabar, R. Mallabar, J. Payette, W. Pellow, D.
 Wills
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 No. 502 D. McLaren, G. Biggar, R. Bivens, R.
 Hunter, N. McLean, J. Morris, F. Toth, T. Wills
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 D. Mumby
 No. 616 G. Harper, G. Mitchell, G. Fairbairn, H.
 Greavette, J. Harper, K. Macara, L. Penton
 No. 661 G. Kelly, W. Thomas, R. Loveman, D.
 Grimshaw, M. Horne, T. Lewis, G. McMullen, J.
 Payette, D. Woodhouse
 No. 697 N. Langlois, J. Golob, J. Lalonde, C.
 Martin, A. McLay
 No. 745 R. McLennan, R. Bivens, D. Dixon,
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 No. 169 L. Peyton
 No. 254 A. Immel, D. Tidd, R. Cook, E. Garrow,
 T. McClellan, G. White
 No. 337 A. Hayward, T. Whaley, H. Haluka, L.
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 W. Ennest, G. Hayward, W. Hodwitz, D. Martin,
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Van Engen
No. 184 L. Harper
No. 225 M. Brightling, R. Bingham, J. Blue, J.
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No. 286 A. MacDonald, D. Bateman, J. Carswell,

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L. Waltham, G. Zenglein
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C. Elliott, M. Griffiths, J. Hartwell, S. Jackman,
R. Jones, O. Matherin, W. McCormick, C.
Mueller, R. Thompson
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Kiers, K. Latchford, C. Le Gresley, A. Legresley
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D. Jeschor, D. Mumby, P. Pilon, W. Purdy, R.
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Richardson, D. Taggart, C. Thomson, M.
Whitehead
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Borrowdale, E. Burton, J. Gilpin, D. Healey, R.
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G. Graves
No. 465 C. Booth, R. Bouchard, R. Grant,

Keighley, R. Ough
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B. McQuillin, G. Smith, G. Zenglein
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Day, P. Irwin, G. Robbins, P. Tink
No. 325 M. McKenzie, G. Garnett, B. Moffat, R.
Rosseau, K. Schoenmaker, R. Thompson
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Miles, J. Nottingham, M. Smith
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Mumby, R. Wright
No. 122 J. Ledger, D. Mumby
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Saunders
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Phillips
No. 433 R. Taylor, D. Mumby
No. 459 D. Steeves
No. 516 R. Taylor
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M. Summers

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D. Wallace
No. 590 D. Harrison, S. Kalinowsky, R.
Kirkpatrick
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R. Taylor, D. Wallace
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R. Campbell, D. Campbell, J. Carter, G. Clauson,
R. Cutler, G. Gross, R. Hobson, R. Kirkpatrick, Z.
Loos, M. Mohamdee, D. Mumby, J. Pell, R.
Phillips, T. Shand, W. Stonehouse, R. Tate, R.
Taylor, D. Wallace, E. Williams, D. Wyse

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Baswick, B. Maddock, V. Orr, D. Sherwin
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B. Manson, R. Phillips

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Mayhew
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 R. Lucas, R. McBride, D. Weir
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 Schatz
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 Sandford, J. Varty
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 C. Silverthorn
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 J. Howden, R. Marshall, L. Smith, A. Vojvodin
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 Dunlop, R. Ferguson, B. Simpson
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 Johnson, W. Jolliffe, B. Thompson
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 B. Graham, T. Keith, F. Searson
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 James, J. Ross
 No. 397 W. Allingham, G. Atkinson, B. Davis, J.
 McBean, W. Miller
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 G. Simmons, W. Summers, K. Wood
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 Graham, K. Mielkie
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 Yates
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 Bateman, V. Hearn, R. Hopkins, W. Porter, A.
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 D. Watkins, J. Wise
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 Skinner, D. Stewart
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 Durnin, J. Feagan, L. Ferguson, G. Hazlitt, J.
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 Goldblum, L. Levy, J. Warren Burrell, C. Couper, B. Gill, D. Persaud, R. Smith
 No. 531 H. Zuniga, S. Betts, R. Large, M. Minor, L. No. 696 J. Conley, A. Anderson, T. Davies, M.
 Phillips, D. Swann, H. Wright Elliott, R. James, F. Krzikowsky, S. Lautens, P.
 No. 542 J. Marsh, C. Dight, E. Altayoglu Marshall, M. McKenna, W. Mitchell, D. Pinfold, B.
 No. 559 S. Glass, L. Shilling, A. Back, S. Cohen, R. Towner
 Davies, M. Donin, L. Feldt, R. Groshaw, D.
 Guttmann, E. Lakien, L. Levy, S. Rose, M. Schecter, No. 703 V. Rubinoff, S. Cohen, I. Lazar, L. Levy,
 B. Shiner, E. Solomon, D. Teege N. Nathan, J. Warren, M. Weingott, R. Williams

TORONTO EAST DISTRICT

No. 75 M. Duke, D. Scott, J. Spears, W. Spence No. 384 F. Albrighton, R. Dickson, J. McKinnon,
 No. 269 L. Lombardi, B. Grumbleby, E. Jones, B. D. Mead, R. Roy, W. Shane, G. Vanslack
 Bond, D. Evans, J. Mateer, P. Nuttall, P. Scott No. 424 J. Houghton, E. Lang, W. Nicholson, D.

TORONTO EAST DISTRICT (cont'd)

Bradley, G. Clark, G. Cousins, D. Dirstein, K.
 Eberhardt, D. Emanuel, J. Evans, G. Hinds, T.
 Houghton, B. Hutton, J. Janacek, M. Kiloh, E.
 MacKinnon, W. Nash, E. Ounjian, W. Sanders,
 T. Saunders, T. Shand, E. Thom, M.
 Thompson, R. White
 No. 430 M. Faminial, J. Ferrer, C. Drew, G.
 MacKenzie, D. Rankin, T. Shand
 No. 473 A. McDonald, E. Crosier, M. Enns, A.
 Dvorak, J. Hoyle, A. McCarthy, D. Shipley
 No. 494 J. Chamberlain, G. Campbell, G.
 Boutilier, P. Bowering, W. Brownhill, D.
 Campbell, D. Dannells, B. Grimbleby, R.
 Groshaw, W. Russell, R. Stephenson
 No. 520 M. Mariampillai, C. Cabrera, B.
 Bond, T. Carlton, R. Castaneda, I. Clunie, C.
 Foreman, R. Groshaw, J. Hiley, P. McGowan,
 J. Meneses, P. Nutall, G. Rhodes
 No. 532 T. Norris, G. Cameron, R. Allgood, R.
 Beverley, B. Bond, B. Booth, E. Burnett, J.
 Grant, R. Groshaw, R. Kliaman, J. Mateer, E.
 Russell, P. Scott, G. Strange, P. Wilson, M.
 Yoney
 No. 541 E. Capogiannopoulos, P. Bowen, K.
 Chute, B. Edwards, D. Hauraney, K.
 MacMillan, J. McKinnon, D. Willoughby
 No. 543 D. Surov, J. Smillie, R. Scott, D.
 Bradley, D. Dainard, A. Frank, E. Gaskin, D.
 Gibson, R. Groshaw, J. Hughes, G. Junkin, R.
 Lundy, C. Preet, A. Tagallie, S. Vitek
 No. 567 R. Thompson, J. Darling, R. Baker, V.
 Bushara, J. Dean, C. Drew, C. Elliott, J. Finlay,
 C. Sturgeon, C. Wright
 No. 576 T. Owens, B. Gibbs, M. Hajjar, A.

TORONTO HUMBER VALLEY DISTRICT

No. 65 W. Wolfe, G. Betowski, G. Persinov, R.
 Sawh, S. Whiteley, M. Yoney
 No. 86 R. Carveth, J. Boersma, R. Groshaw, K.
 Heans, J. Lawer, R. Martell, H. Materi, P.
 McGregor, G. Morgan, J. Pearson, R. Sircar, A.
 Soltanzadeh, C. White, S. Whiteley, G. Whitmore
 No. 247 T. Lundy, A. Rudner, E. Christie, M.
 Manfredi, W. McLeod, E. Ralph
 No. 305 A. Turk, A. Ahlowalia, T. Foley, D.
 Bradley, V. Codato, V. Howarth, N. Lenz, G.
 Maddison, D. Mumby, E. Paul, W. Pellow, J. Scarr,
 C. Tinglin, J. Warren
 No. 339 G. Hinds, N. King, G. Robinson, C. Scott
 No. 343 B. Oram, N. Wilson, B. Taylor, R. Daniels,
 A. Donovan, M. Drew, C. Drew, T. Dyer, T.
 Edwards, S. Gilmore, R. Groshaw, T. Hansen, R.
 Lewis, G. MacKenzie, I. MacKenzie, G.
 McCowan, J. Mellor, J. Myers, T. Shand, M. Yoney
 No. 369 NOT REPRESENTED
 No. 410 R. Longworth, J. Longworth, D. Bradley,
 T. Brown, W. Chatwell, W. Clayton, G. Donnelly,
 T. Douglas, N. Funnell, A. Hogg, J. Munroe, C.
 Richards
 No. 510 D. Leong, B. Mathew, L. Sims, W. Bevis,
 D. Blake, V. Codato, P. Curry, W. Goddard, D.
 Hawman, B. Layne, M. MacKay, E. McLean, T.
 McLean, R. Palmer, J. Ratuszny, V. Regis, C.
 Sinclair, A. Stoddart
 No. 537 P. Kasulis, E. Bessler, R. Bessler, J.
 McGuffin, D. Walker
 No. 547 N. Bryant, A. Turner, E. Altayoglu, E.
 Bessler, W. Boal, R. Botting, W. Chatwell, G.
 Donnelly, E. Harrison, D. Hauraney, J. Hough, M.
 Ikonomidis, K. MacMillan, J. McLaughlin, P.

Sutherland
 No. 591 D. Bergerson, D. Russell, M.
 Andrade, M. D'Acre, W. Utton
 No. 612 C. Frankland, P. Sialtsis, D. Bradley,
 R. Carveth, A. Cox, E. De Beaupre, G.
 Dickson, T. Doughty, C. Drew, M. Ikonomidis,
 J. Keith, F. Kilian, J. Pownall, G. Wilson
 No. 637 A. Wilson, H. Clarke, A. Pendleton,
 G. Atkinson, D. Banks, B. Black, D. Bradley,
 G. Dickson, C. Drew, B. Pyper, R. Steenson,
 B. Woods, R. Young
 No. 643 E. Capogiannopoulos, B. Edwards, J.
 Hart, F. McIntosh
 No. 647 L. Armitage, H. Daines, W. Reiach
 No. 651 E. Russell, B. Bond, J. MacPherson,
 F. Taylor
 No. 653 D. Ecklund, B. McFarquhar, F.
 MacKay, R. Bassett, D. Baxter, D. Campbell,
 E. Derry, W. Evans, W. Howlett, S. Jackman,
 A. McLellan, J. Rabot, M. Stainsby, J. Wilson
 No. 670 A. Thornton, B. Marcano, W. Drane,
 E. Burnett, J. Gauthier, E. Goodwin, R.
 McDowell, J. Ouellette, D. Russell, E. Thomas,
 R. Thompson, R. Uhrig
 No. 683 T. Ryan, G. McLean, H. Bishop, J.
 Das, S. Forsythe, M. Ganpat Singh, L. Muss, G.
 Newall, J. Seale, T. Shand, E. Washington, K.
 Whiting
 No. 705 D. Stamatakis, A. Gilmour, J. Law, P.
 McGowan, W. Pellow
 No. 729 R. Steenson, G. Wilson, R. Binns, C.
 Drew, K. Fralick, J. Henderson, M.
 Ikonomidis, E. MacKinnon, W. McKee, T.
 Saunders, T. Shand

Miles, G. Persinov, J. Thomson, D. Willoughby, W.
 Wolfe, M. Yoney
 No. 571 J. Cassie, W. Chisholm, T. Shand
 No. 575 S. McConachie, R. Palacol, E. Palacol, W.
 Bevis, S. Buckingham, R. Collins, S. Cometa, D.
 Hawman, T. Horner, G. Iles, D. Jacobson, D.
 MacMillan, W. McLeod, P. Monaghan, D. Mumby,
 V. Poirier, J. Raymer, D. Robertson, D. Sheen, S.
 Sheen, E. Stewart, W. Stoddard, J. Thorne, W.
 Wharton
 No. 599 G. Knapp, L. Quenet, S. Knapp, L. Levy,
 W. Pellow, G. Smith
 No. 600 A. Hurley, W. Burgoine, C. Latchoo, D.
 Stevens, D. Street
 No. 606 R. Holliday, C. McCormack, G. Barker, R.
 Stansal, C. Willmore
 No. 644 W. Boal, D. Evelyn, J. Hough, J.
 McLaughlin, P. Renzland, H. Schulz
 No. 655 G. Bannister, A. Jurd, G. Kaadi, D. Smith,
 G. Taylor
 No. 664 R. Madzia, R. Foote, H. Ansara, H. Jones,
 D. Lambie, T. McLean, R. Quinton, D. Sheen, A.
 Stoddart, J. Thornton, P. Whitaker, W. Williams, C.
 Winter
 No. 682 V. Regis, V. Codato, D. Dewar, R.
 Groshaw, J. Hamilton, F. McIntosh, E. McLean, D.
 Mumby, R. Phillips, D. Smith, H. Somir, E. Stewart
 No. 713 G. Kaadi, D. Sharp, E. Bessler, G. Golding,
 D. Hauraney, P. Whitaker
 No. 733 E. Anderson, W. Holden, G. Alexitch, S.
 Cohen, R. Davies, J. Hough, J. Jolley, R. Kliaman,
 P. McGregor, P. Park, S. Paulson, C. Reid, M.
 Yoney

TORONTO WEST DISTRICT

No. 229 J. Larda, R. Hakim, W. Adlam, T. Clark, A. Jackson, J. Kawenka, S. Maddock, I. Tees
 No. 356 G. Hendrie, R. Flannigan, G. Bailey, A. Bashford, W. Chandler, A. Duerden, E. Juman, A. McCausland, J. McClure, R. Murphy, D. Ross, R. Taylor
 No. 474 J. Morris, J. Challet, D. Arnold, W. Holtham, S. Maddock, S. Nichols, G. Padgett, D. Papavramidis
 No. 496 P. Eng, D. Binns, M. Dave, I. Fraser, C. Le Gresley, J. Logan, A. Maitland, W. McLeod, A. Petrisor, R. Steinmar, M. Stoiko, D. Thompson, C. Williamson
 No. 501 W. Holtham, W. Doughty, B. Downes, G. Keown, J. Pownall, N. Seawright, N. Seawright
 No. 524 W. Bath, H. Adams, R. Ardalic, P. Booker, E. Carr, G. Carr, D. Craig, R. Davies, J. Delmas, A. Jamieson, D. Jamieson, R. Jose, A. Penaflor, A. Pollock, E. Recuenco, D. Roberts, C. Scott
 No. 548 K. Bice, J. Scarr
 No. 565 E. Anderson, K. Bice, P. Booker, D. Cowie, R. Davies, G. Dickson, A. Golden, D. Gomme, P. Irwin, J. Jolley, K. MacDonald, H. McKnight, A. McLelland, J. Munroe, P. Park, C. Reid, T. Rielly, H. Sanders, D. Swann, C. Weston, C. Willmore
 No. 566 D. Markle, L. Crocker, R. Davies, C. Drew, A. Dyer, D. Greenwood, E. Grinko, J. Kikiantonis, H. McKnight, E. Walsh, C. Woorder, S. Wright
 No. 619 D. Banks, C. Bytheway, D. Desjardins, L. Giles, B. Hillyer, M. Martin, C. Reid, G. Turek, C. Willmore

TORONTO YORK DISTRICT

No. 22 J. Mitsonis, A. Tsamados, J. Aide, J. Alliston, D. Bradley, P. Farrell, D. Greenwood, R. Groshaw, M. Hajjar, R. Heyworth, F. Lock, D. MacKay, D. Valleau, G. Vlastakis
 No. 23 F. Lock, R. Guerrero, D. Livingstone, F. Lock, D. Mabley, A. Murphy, B. Stapley, R. Whitmarsh
 No. 54 B. Stapley, D. Lane, B. Booton, D. Evelyn, C. Gibson, W. McLeod, P. Whitaker
 No. 79 NOT REPRESENTED
 No. 87 J. Crawford, W. Reiach, R. Deline, J. Balmer, B. Bond, S. Gill, B. Grimbleby, E. Milley, K. Prentice, G. Ramsay, W. Russell, T. Spencer, D. Stamatakis, W. Von Kalben
 No. 97 D. Greenwood, G. Leitch, J. Pearson, G. Whitmore
 No. 98 M. Walmsley, W. Dobson, J. Laceby, R. Botting, P. Egan, D. Wylie
 No. 99 F. Sales, T. Serson, D. Gingrich, B. Dickson, D. Emerson, A. Maitland, D. Purvis
 No. 118 G. McArthur, W. Cober, K. Karunaratne, R. Cober, D. Cowie, R. Wood
 No. 129 D. Bradley, H. Butler, D. Hotham
 No. 136 K. Prentice, T. Lonergan, S. Fronse, R. Bower, A. Dvorak, K. Holden, W. McKee, R. Morreau, S. Pickard, J. Rennie, W. Sanders, L. Sandiland, T. Shand, W. Spence, G. Thomson, J.

VICTORIA DISTRICT

No. 77 W. Elliott, R. Lindsay, A. Sutherland
 No. 268 K. Ingram, D. Ingram, J. Anderson, L. Oliver, J. Wylie
 No. 354 J. Elburg
 No. 375 R. Hewitt, D. Blakey, D. Burgomaster, W. Holden, A. MacFadyen, J. Morrison, N. Stacey, D. Wellman, D. Whitmore, H. Wood
 No. 398 W. Fairley, M. Thompson
 No. 406 C. Arscott, R. Baker, W. Fairley, J. Shea
 No. 630 B. McAteer, J. Delmas, J. Peacock, C. Sinclair, C. Willmore
 No. 632 H. McKnight, R. Tschudi, H. Camley, G. Hendrie, G. Turek, E. Walsh
 No. 640 J. Robertshaw, B. Booton, C. Chapin, C. Knox, B. Longworth, H. McKnight, D. Stewart
 No. 645 W. Holden, W. Armstrong, S. Armstrong, W. Doughty, B. Downes, F. Dunn, J. Fenwick, T. McMillan
 No. 674 Z. Mallah, D. Bradley, C. Bytheway, W. Douglas, A. Jamieson, H. McGregor, P. Monkman
 No. 685 A. Jabier, M. Krstic, M. Watson, R. Ardalic, B. Hillyer, J. Oldham, C. Patten, J. Sanders, H. Sanders
 No. 689 R. Phillips, G. Gahs, W. Laycock, R. Oliver, P. Watson
 No. 710 H. Oмардеен, B. Downes, A. Duerden, W. Innes, J. Leitch, J. Peacock, G. Spencer
 No. 727 C. Kourtesiotis, E. Bessler, R. Davies, D. Hood, I. Jess, B. Lamont, R. Mandeville
 No. 734 A. Clark, E. Anderson, P. Attwood, G. Bailey, R. Bryant, E. Carr, D. Clarke, D. Gomme, R. Groshaw, J. Hartzema, T. Horner, L. Jansurik, J. Lee, E. Morrison, W. Pellow, C. Woods
 No. 738 M. Stephenson, W. Armstrong, S. Armstrong, J. Boersma, D. Bradley, J. Cathcart, R. Davies, B. Edwards, D. Greenwood, B. Hillyer, E. Lakien, B. Lamont, W. Martin, B. Maxwell, R. Oliver, D. Papavramidis, P. Park, C. Reid, D. Sheen, C. Willmore
 No. 740 T. Clark, Z. Mallah, H. McKnight, J. Peacock

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VICTORIA DISTRICT (cont'd)

No. 498 E. Brohm, W. Fairley, T. Hodgson, E. Watson No. 608 H. Buckley, F. Hall, G. Henry, R. McMillan

WATERLOO DISTRICT

No. 72 R. Lawrence, J. Jones, D. Slack, G.	West
Atkinson, R. Bean, R. Blueman, H. Clarke, S.	No. 509 G. Booker, Z. Hristov, W. Miller, G.
Cooper, W. Griffiths, V. Hetherington, C. Hollett,	Napper, J. Pattison
G. Randall, R. Russell	No. 539 G. Ough, D. Fickling, D. Churchill, W.
No. 151 R. Schutts, N. Bobier, D. Bradley, D.	Fries, R. Galbraith, W. MacPherson, D. McLeod, B.
Cameron, R. Chadwick, J. Dickie, J. Harvey, C.	Snider
Silva, E. Ward, H. Whetham	No. 628 R. McKeag, M. Brubacher, L. Clemens,
No. 172 J. Groff, W. Lawrence, C. Oliver, B.	W. Clemens, W. Sommers
Romeril, W. Williams	No. 690 A. Atkins, W. Cussler, A. Poolton, G.
No. 205 J. Williamson, R. Zilles, R. Fleming, J.	Russell, T. Schreiter
Van Trigt	No. 722 R. Botting, T. Burcough, S. Cooper, W.
No. 257 J. Kroezen, C. Miller, B. Romeril, H.	Griffiths, R. Johnston, D. Kaufman, B. Lowery, R.
Wood	Small, J. Walden
No. 279 S. Mohan, F. Albrighton, R. Brubacher, R.	No. 723 A. Kennedy, B. Snider
Daniels, C. Heap, R. Johnston, B. Lowery, L. Reid,	No. 744 D. Cameron, D. Churchill, G. Atkinson, G.
E. Stewart, A. Taylor	Booker, P. Borland, W. Brown, P. Christian, S.
No. 297 W. Griffiths, W. Brown, S. Cooper, R.	Cooper, R. Daniels, W. Fries, G. Hazlitt, D.
Davies, E. Habermehl, B. McCann, R. Small	Kaufman, W. Lawrence, G. Morgan, D. Mumby, G.
No. 318 R. Hoglund, W. Emptage, F. Branston, P.	Napper, J. Pattison, T. Schreiter, T. Shand, R.
Christian, H. Knox, K. McGeagh, J. Mittelholz, D.	Small, B. Snider, J. Walden

WELLINGTON DISTRICT

No. 180 G. Farb, W. Clatworthy, G. Kerr, N.	No. 347 F. Barkhouse, J. Alliston
Stephens	No. 361 R. Stewart, W. Atkinson, J. Butcher, R.
No. 203 F. Mollison, N. Barrie, C. Brown, C.	Gray, A. Holmes, J. Hunter, G. Insley, J. Johnson,
Brown, G. Moore	G. Schirk, L. Wardlaw, J. Whiteley
No. 219 S. Harrison, N. Barrie, F. Dunn, P.	No. 688 J. Millar
Marshall, T. Massena, G. Moore	No. 724 S. Adams, B. Poole, D. Dunn, D. Hamilton,
No. 258 R. Blair, C. Brown, A. Pollock, C.	L. Sulzer
Thomson	No. 742 A. Gillies, E. Humphreys, W. Atkinson, N.
No. 271 J. Brennan, J. Butcher, P. Curry, P.	Barrie, R. Blair, J. Butcher, D. Churchill, R.
Gillespie, W. Jones, P. McGrenere, H. Standish	Daniels, R. Gray, J. Green, D. Greenwood, D.
No. 295 A. Cunningham, J. Green, R. Groshaw, E.	Hamilton, A. Holmes, J. Hunter, J. Johnson, P.
Schneider	McGrenere, J. Millar, G. Schirk, R. Smeaton, C.
No. 321 T. Bentley, A. Ellacott, L. Ferguson, G.	Thomson, J. Whiteley
Ferguson, T. Somerville, R. Taylor	

WESTERN DISTRICT

No. 414 T. Dunbar	No. 484 NOT REPRESENTED
No. 417 T. Dunbar	No. 518 C. Ruttan
No. 445 T. Dunbar, E. Habermehl, J. Jackson	No. 631 C. McDonald, W. McQuaker
No. 446 A. Tibbets	No. 660 E. Habermehl
No. 461 D. Johnson	No. 668 A. Tibbets

WILSON NORTH DISTRICT

No. 37 J. Peter, T. Bertrand, W. Krajewski, R.	No. 250 B. Barnett, K. Chute, J. Lynes, N. McLeod,
Brearley, L. Miles, D. Presswell, D. Rumble, C.	J. Smith, K. Ulch
Thomson	No. 261 A. Meacham, G. Atkinson, D. Carter, M.
No. 43 D. Lapointe, D. Foster, G. Ashman, G.	Chesney, R. De Boer, J. Devries, R. Hilderley, T.
Bayne, B. Burrill, J. Carlisle, F. Curry, T. Davies,	Shand, T. Siemienik
K. Lapointe, D. Radloff, J. Van Trigt, D. Wilton	No. 569. B. Hutton, W. McKay
No. 68 M. Bowman, G. Harry, B. Kempston	No. 609 E. Dredge, F. Ward
No. 76 S. Kubota, R. Dobbs, D. Fonk, R.	No. 678 S. Revelle, S. Dow, K. Neill, M. Coulter, J.
McTavish, A. Petrisor, F. Prideaux, J. Sutherland, J.	Creamer, R. Findlater, J. Hooper, G. Lane, R.
Walls	Oliphant, L. Pearson, F. Pepper, A. Petrisor, D.
No. 108 M. Farr, G. Price	Pratt, D. Thompson, L. Witmer
No. 178 R. Blueman, D. Shearer	

WILSON SOUTH DISTRICT

No. 10 S. McQuade, J. Hiley, G. Jones, J. Lewis,	No. 217 L. Haigh, L. Varnes
A. St. Jacques, T. Todd	No. 237 F. Kent
No. 78 B. Kempston	No. 624 D. Paton, R. Dobbs, R. Hugill, L. Miles, T.
No. 104 N. Dolsom, J. Hiley, L. Miles, J. Roberts	Wilson
No. 149 P. Bowman, M. Hagen, A. Cox, K. Post	No. 701 D. Bentley, D. Cook, T. Davies, K.
No. 174 L. Haigh, J. Stark, L. Varnes	Lounsbury, D. Pratt
No. 181 J. Hiley	

WINDSOR DISTRICT

No. 47 W. Chamney, C. Kania, G. McQuarrie	Laughton, G. Lotz, J. Napier
No. 403 B. Sotto, P. Rogers, D. Bradley, J. Cherwak, P. Hooper, N. Hughson, J. Laughton, G. Lotz, B. McCann, L. McKenzie, T. Moffat, J. Napier, M. Tingle	No. 579 G. Splan, B. Chartier, G. McQuarrie, G. Tarcea, D. Warner, K. Wilson, J. Wood
No. 500 G. Mikhael	No. 598 R. Gellner, A. McDonald, D. Goetz, P. Hooper, A. Jackson, G. McQuarrie, G. Perry, D. Winterton
No. 521 D. Stadnik, N. Ackland, C. Fairthorne, G. Perry, R. Truan, P. Wiebe	No. 604 K. Tyler, G. Chappell, R. MacNevin
No. 554 H. Cook, B. Chartier, C. Drew, C. Fairthorne, P. Hooper, N. Hughson, I. Hunter, J.	No. 642 B. Chartier, H. Cook, D. Flett, K. Getty, A. Vojvodin

GUESTS

M.W. Bro. R. E. Davies presented to the Grand Master and introduced to Grand Lodge the following distinguished guests:

BRITISH COLUMBIA and YUKON	NEW YORK
M.W. Bro. Stephen Godfrey Grand Master	M.W. Bro. Neal Bidnick Grand Master
CONNECTICUT	NOVA SCOTIA
M.W. Bro. William L. Greene Grand Master	M.W. Bro. Daniel G. Campbell Grand Master
DELAWARE	PENNSYLVANIA
M.W. Bro. William R. Stevens Grand Master	R.W. Bro. Ronald A. Aungst Grand Master
INDIANA	QUEBEC
M.W. Bro. Duane L. Vaught Grand Master	M.W. Bro. Opkar S. Sandhu Grand Master
MANITOBA	R.W. Bro. Paul Mailhot Grand Secretary
M.W. Bro. Kenneth Butchart Grand Master	RHODE ISLAND
MARYLAND	M.W. Bro. Steven E. Smith Grand Master
M.W. Bro. John R. Biggs Grand Master	SASKATCHEWAN
MICHIGAN	M.W. Bro. Francis Hester Grand Master
M.W. Bro. Ira S. Slaven Grand Master	ANC & ACCEPTED SCOTTISH RITE
NEW BRUNSWICK	Ill. Bro. Robert Townshend Sovereign Grand Commander
M.W. Bro. William Boone Grand Master	ROYAL ARCH MASON
NEWFOUNDLAND & LABRADOR	M.Ex.Comp. George H. Gifford Grand First Principal
M.W. Bro. Maxwell J. Squires Grand Master	MASONIC SERVICE ASSOCIATION
R.W. Bro. Larry B. Grandy Grand Secretary	M.W. Bro. Richard E. Fletcher P.G.M. Vermont/Executive Secretary
NEW HAMPSHIRE	MOCHA SHRINE
M.W. Bro. Robert G. Hatfield Grand Master	W. Bro. Norman Camp Potentate
M.W. Bro. John C. Marden P.G. M./ Grand Secretary	

Grand Honours were then given, led by the Grand Director of Ceremonies.

PAST GRAND MASTERS

The Grand Master presented our Past Grand Masters who were present, namely: M.W. Bros. Robert E. Davies, Ronald E. Groshaw, William R. Pellow, C. Edwin Drew, Durward I. Greenwood, Terence Shand and Donald H. Mumby. Grand Honours were given.

ADDRESS OF WELCOME TO GRAND LODGE

W. Bro. Albert J. Han, Master of Mount Sinai Lodge No. 522, Toronto Don Valley, delivered the Address of Welcome, which was responded to by M.W. Bro. Gary L. Atkinson, Grand Master.

MINUTES

The Grand Secretary proceeded to read the Minutes of the last meeting held in Toronto, on July 19, 2006, when it was moved by M.W. Bro. R. E. Groshaw, seconded by M.W. Bro. D. I. Greenwood, and resolved: That inasmuch as the Minutes of the last Annual Communication held in Toronto have been printed and distributed to all constituent lodges the same be now taken as read and confirmed.

RULES OF ORDER

As the Grand Secretary read the Rules of Order as prescribed by the Constitution of Grand Lodge, it was moved by M.W. Bro. R. E. Davies, seconded by M.W. Bro. C. E. Drew, and resolved: That the Order of Business of this Annual Communication be changed at the discretion of the Grand Master.

M.W. Bro. Gary L. Atkinson announced that R.W. Bro. David E. Jacklin had accepted the request to serve as parliamentarian, and any controversial constitutional problems that may arise would be decided by Bro. Jacklin.

GRAND MASTER'S ADDRESS

To the Officers and Members of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

My Brethren:

It is my pleasure to welcome each of you, to this, the 152nd Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada, in the Province of Ontario. I am pleased to see so many Masons from across our great province in attendance, with representation from Lodges in all of our 44 districts. Your attendance and participation at our Annual Communication session is greatly appreciated.

To our special guests from across Canada and the United States of America, I extend my sincere appreciation to each of you for taking the time out of your busy schedules to join with us. I certainly hope that you find our Grand Lodge session to be useful, informative, rewarding, motivational, and most of all, enjoyable.

From a personal perspective, over the past four years, I have had the opportunity to share in fellowship and friendship in an educational setting with so many of you, in locations around the world. I thank you for your gift of comradeship, which I value very much. When you return home to your respective Grand Lodges, please convey the fondest fraternal wishes of our Grand Lodge to your members.

NECROLOGY

This past year, our Grand Lodge has suffered the loss of many of its members, as they have journeyed to the Grand Lodge above. So many of these good Brethren had been active, in the interests of Freemasonry, and had made important contributions in service to their Lodges, their Communities, their Churches and to Grand Lodge. We mourn their passing, but we know that their influence for the moral, intellectual, and spiritual improvement of mankind will ever continue. To their loved ones, we offer a word of sympathy and consolation.

As a tribute to our departed Brethren, I would like to share with you the following:

*“He was a friend whose heart was good,
Who walked with men and understood.
His was a smile men loved to see:
His was a hand that asked no fee,
For friendship or kindness done.
And now that he has journeyed on,
His is a flame that never ends:
He leaves behind unnumbered friends.”*

R.W. Bro. Gordon Monk

The headlines of the “Times” newspaper that serves Minden and the Haliburton area said it all on September 20, 2006. “Minden loses a passionate leader.”

R.W. Bro. Gord Monk was one of the community’s most passionate leaders. He was a man who exemplified the principles and teachings that our fraternity is based upon in everything that he did. A man and a Brother who was extremely devoted to his community as well as to our fraternity that he joined in 1963.

He was a member of Arcadia Lodge No. 440 in Minden and served as the Worshipful Master in 1985. In 1996, he was elected Grand Registrar by the Brethren of our jurisdiction, and served our Grand Lodge during the tenure of M.W. Bro. Durward I. Greenwood.

Gord was appointed to the Board of General Purposes in 1998, and served our Grand Lodge as Chairman of the Public Relations and Communications Committees. He also served as the Grand Representative to the Grand Lodge of Para.

R.W. Bro. Monk believed that one should always contribute to one's community on a daily basis. Besides being an active Mason , he was involved in the local Lions Club, the Royal Canadian Legion, the Kinsman, the Shrine as well as being active in the Anglican Church. Heeding the call of his community, and recognizing the difficulty that the area residents were experiencing, relating to the lack of support for a hospital within the community, Gord finished his tenure on the Board of General Purposes in 2000.

He worked hard with the Haliburton Highlands Health Services to ensure the residents of the community had the facilities they needed to enable them to postpone a visit to his business for as long as possible. He wanted quality of life, not just quantity for those throughout the community he lived in. He reached out to children in numerous ways, especially as Santa's helper in the annual Christmas parade, and was a volunteer with Community Care whose focus is with the senior residents of the community. In short – he cared for everyone!

R.W. Bro. Allan Franklin Dunsmore

R.W. Bro. Dunsmore passed to the Grand Lodge above on October 17, 2006. He was initiated into Freemasonry on November 29, 1960. A member of St. John's Lodge No. 21a in Vankleek Hill, he served his Lodge as the Worshipful Master in 1969 and again in 1995–1996.

He served as the District Deputy Grand Master of Eastern District in 1999–2000 under the late Grand Master, M.W. Bro. Robert J. McKibbon. He was a member of Moore Sovereign Consistory in Hamilton as well as the Karnak Shrine in Montreal. He served our Grand Lodge as a member of the committee that started the Officer Progression Training Seminars. He was a man of integrity and filled with staunch Masonic values.

He always took the time to stop and talk to those with whom he came into contact with. With an infectious personality, he always had the time to listen to you and help you solve your problems. A true gentleman and Mason in every sense of the word.

R.W. Bro. George Carlton Phair

R.W. Bro. Carlton Phair passed to the Grand Lodge above on March 28, 2007. Carl, as he was affectingly called, enjoyed serving his fellow man and his community whenever he had the opportunity. During the Second World War, he served his country with distinction as a Flight Lieutenant in the R.C.A.F. He was a recipient of the Paul Harris Fellow Award presented by the Rotary Club.

Carl was a Past Master of Pynx Baldoon Lodge No. 312 in Wallaceburg, as well as being an active member of Centennial Lodge No.684 in London. He served our Grand Lodge as the Grand Director of Ceremonies during the late M.W. Bro. Bruce B. Foster's tenure.

A member of the Chatham Valley Lodge of Perfection, Rose Croix Chapter, Moore Sovereign Consistory, 33rd Degree Past Active Inspector General of the Supreme Council Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite Canada as well as a member of Mocha Temple in London.

When asked what his family members remember most about their father, they replied, "A man who lived by the teachings of Masonry, but he only had one rule, tell it as it is, and if you do, the world will be a better place to live in." A lesson we all need to remember.

V.W. Bro. Brock Bernard Smith

Brock was a member of Norfolk Lodge No. 10, Simcoe. He was a man who was committed to his faith and was living proof of that our Craft and all that Freemasonry stands for was important to him. He saw the needs of others and acted on them.

He served Norfolk Lodge, as the Lodge Secretary for over 31 years and in his own special way, assisted 31 Worshipful Masters during their year in office. He had the knack of staying focused on the issues at hand, and not becoming side tracked by irrelevant discussions. Brock organized the annual pilgrimage to the gravesite of M.W. Bro. William Mercer Wilson from 1960 – 2007.

When asked by a longtime friend and lodge brother how he would describe Brock, he simply replied, "He represented everything that is good about being a Mason." He passed to the Grand Lodge above, on Sunday, January 21, 2007, with his Lord and family present. Well done, true and faithful servant.

Bro. Leonard E. Snider

Len was a life long resident of Waterloo and proprietor of Waterloo Stove and Appliances, where they knew and valued all their customers. When he sold his business in 1976, he was able to travel extensively spreading his goodwill to all that he touched. Always a gentleman, Len lived by the principles and teachings that serves as the foundation of Freemasonry.

He was a member of Waterloo Lodge No. 539 for 61 years and a Charter member of Brotherhood Lodge No. 723. Throughout his lifetime, Len was an active participant within the Masonic Family. In 1989, he became the recipient of the prestigious William Mercer Wilson Medal.

A true testimony to a man who always made sure those less fortunate were able to enjoy those things in life that we so often take for granted. Bro. Snider passed to the Grand Lodge above peacefully on May 12, 2007. We will cherish his memory in our hearts!

M.W. Bro. Wayne McKay

In January of 2007, our Canadian Masonic Family lost a longtime friend and true Mason. Passing suddenly to the Grand Lodge above, we lost M.W. Bro. Wayne McKay, the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of New Brunswick.

Scheduled to be the Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee at the Conference of Grand Masters of North America as well as the vice-president of the All Canada Conference, which is held every April in Winnipeg, Manitoba. His passing left a tremendous void, not only in eastern Canada, but across the eastern part of the United States. His wide smile and outstretched hand of friendship will certainly be missed. Our deepest sympathy is extended to his wife Karen, his

immediate family members, as well as his Masonic family in the Province of New Brunswick.

In addition to the foregoing brethren, we have lost many of our Past Grand Lodge Officers, as well as recipients of the William Mercer Wilson Medal. Their names are recorded elsewhere in the proceedings. When we pause to reflect on their passing, let us remember their many contributions to our Craft and to our society.

"I shall pass through this world but once, any good thing therefore that I shall do, or any kindness that I can show to any human being, let me do it now. Let me not deter it or neglect it for I shall not pass this way again."

. . . BY ETIENNE DE GREFFETT 1773–1855.

AD HOC COMMITTEES

The ad hoc committee: re discussion with Prince Hall Masonry.

Last year in my Annual Address, I reported that I had established an ad hoc committee to explore future paths that might be taken in our relationship with the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Prince Hall Freemasonry. R.W. Bro. George E. Hinds chaired this committee which consisted of M.W. Bro. Donald H. Mumby and R.W. Bro. Errol Stewart.

I reappointed the same ad hoc committee this past year, so they could continue with the mandate I charged them with. I am pleased to report that it appears at this time, the relationship is still very positive. Constitutional amendments may need to be addressed and terminology needs to be discussed further before full recognition takes place.

My recommendation is that this committee be retained for the next Masonic year to further this endeavor.

The ad hoc committee: re ideas to supplement the Special Program Fund.

As many of you are aware, the funding that we receive from our Special Program Fund, helps to offset the costs needed to supply the *Ontario Mason* magazine, as well as the work of the various Grand Lodge committees. We are continually appreciative of the generous support given by the many Brethren across the jurisdiction that contribute and support the calendar program each year.

I appointed an ad hoc committee to review the suggestions received and to consider new incentives that our Brethren would be interested in supporting. This ad hoc committee was chaired by R.W. Bro. David Sheen and assisted by M.W. Bro. Ron Groshaw and R.W. Bro. George Brown. It is now time that we look for an alternate means to supplement this worthwhile and important endeavor to enhance the success of the Special Program Fund on a regular basis.

The ad hoc committee: to research into a Widow's Program.

When a man becomes a Mason, he learns many valuable lessons that help him become a better man, a better father and a better husband. Unfortunately, after he passes to the Grand Lodge above, we sometimes forget about his wife who has now become a Masonic Widow, especially if there is no family support. We need to remember that they are still part of our Masonic family.

Communication is one of the most important tools mankind has at its disposal; we need to use it and share it on a daily basis.

In conversations that I have shared with many of my Brethren over the years,

I noted that we exhibit similar feelings, and quite frankly, often embarrassment whenever the subject is talked about. Being personally disturbed by the situation, I felt it prudent to do some research into the establishment of a Widow's Program endorsed by our Grand Lodge and used by the lodges across the province. With that in mind, I asked R.W. Bro. Thomas W. Hogeboom to do some preliminary research to see if it was warranted.

In his report, he recommends a need to formulate guidelines that could be used as a "benchmark" for all lodges. My Brethren, I couldn't agree more. My sincere appreciation is extended to him for his time and investigative research.

The ad hoc committee: to review Lodge Amalgamations that have taken place in recent years across our province.

In the last several years, our Grand Lodge has experienced requests for information inquiring about amalgamation. I would refer to Sections 158 – 164 of the Constitution of Grand Lodge, which was developed for lodges to follow. Being ever mindful of the sensitivity and the emotions that exist when two or more lodges are united, I felt it prudent to establish a follow up questionnaire, at one and three year intervals. To establish: What is working? What is not working? and to report in an honest, forthright manner. Further, to review the role that Grand Lodge plays in this process. Recommendations were addressed immediately and reports received to date have been very favourable. Amalgamations should be continually reviewed to monitor their progress.

The ad hoc committee: on the establishment of an Office Manual for our Grand Lodge.

With the many changes and regulations taking place in our provincial government, I established an ad hoc committee to formulate an Office Manual that would prove to be beneficial in today's environment for Privacy and Labour Ministry legislation. I felt that this would be an essential element, to assist in the day-to-day operations for both the present, as well as the future staff of our Grand Lodge.

As well, it was noted last year in my Grand Master's Address, that some suggested recommendations pertaining to the duties of the Grand Secretary be included. This ad hoc committee was comprised of R.W. Bros. Reade K. Spence and Earl M. Jones, and chaired by M.W. Bro. William R. Pellow. I have reviewed their recommendations and salient portions have been discussed with the Past Grand Masters and will be acted on in the near future.

WILLIAM MERCER WILSON MEDAL

Throughout our jurisdiction, there are a number of Masons who quietly perform their labours with loyalty and dedication. Our Grand Lodge once again recognizes these very special Brethren for the support that they continue to give to their lodges, their churches, their communities and to the Craft in general. These Brethren have never been, nor will ever be, the Worshipful Master of their lodge, yet they are an indispensable part of it. It is to men such as this, that our prestigious William Mercer Wilson Medal is presented.

The committee, composed of M.W. Bros. R. E. Davies, N. R. Richards and D. I. Greenwood reviewed all nominations for this honour and have recommended that the medal be presented to the following:

Bro. Gerald Sills – Belleville-Temple Lodge No.123, Belleville

Bro. Harry J. Cooper – Burns' Lodge No. 153, Wyoming
 Bro. John Medland – Mt. Zion Lodge No. 39, Brooklin

PAST RANK

During the year, a Worshipful Master was prevented from serving a full twelve months as required by our Constitution. Therefore, pursuant to Section 73 of the Book of the Constitution, I recommend that Past Rank be granted to: W. Bro. Jeffrey Bates, Lost Villages Lodge No. 256, Ingleside.

APPOINTMENTS

Pursuant to Section 131 (e) of the Constitution of Grand Lodge, I am pleased to recommend the re-appointment of R.W. Bros. James C. Sutherland and H. Edward Standish to a three-year term of honorary membership on the Board of General Purposes.

MERITORIOUS SERVICE AWARDS

Meritorious Service Awards are presented to those Brethren who have worked tirelessly for a number of years to promote the cause of Freemasonry, not only within their District, but within our jurisdiction as a whole. These Brethren give of their time and their talents. Their Masonic brethren, as well as the communities in which they reside, hold them in high esteem. In my opinion, they exemplify Freemasonry on a daily basis and they aren't even aware that they are doing so. It is my pleasure and privilege to grant the Grand Master's Meritorious Service Award to :

R.W. Bro. Thomas E. Lewis
 St. Andrew's Lodge No. 661, St. Catharines –Niagara District A

R.W. Bro. Robert E. Kerr
 Wentworth Lodge No. 166, Stoney Creek – Hamilton District B

The service that these two Brethren give and continue to give to our fraternity is remarkable. I commend each of you for your dedication. I trust that you will wear the medal that accompanies this award with great pride and honour.

GRAND REPRESENTATIVES

I am pleased to accept the recommendations of the respective Grand Masters and to confirm the appointment of the following brethren as our Grand Representatives near the Grand Lodge of:

Nova Scotia	–	M. W. Bro. Roger Ellis Eisner
Indiana	–	M. W. Bro. James M. Barkdull
Bulgaria	–	Bro. Nikola Ralchev Tchamov
Denmark	–	Bro. Ole Pries
Israel	–	W. Bro. Neil Hayman

I am also pleased to recommend to the Grand Masters of the other Grand Lodges, the appointment of the following Grand Representatives of their Grand Lodges near our Grand Lodge:

Sweden	–	R.W. Bro. Lloyd W. Hammell
Bulgaria	–	R.W. Bro. Arthur W. Stokes

Para (Brazil)	-	R.W. Bro. Earl M. Jones
Santa Catarina	-	R.W. Bro. J. David Bell
Chile	-	V.W. Bro. Michael Dennis

PAST GRAND MASTERS

Last year I reported to you on the great support that I had received from the Past Grand Masters of this jurisdiction. This past year, we have had to address many timely as well as sensitive issues that our beloved fraternity is facing. They have continued to offer their sage counsel when called upon in a most generous and sincere manner. I have often said that our jurisdiction is held in such high esteem all across the world, and we owe a debt of gratitude to our past Grand Masters for taking us to that level.

We shall miss the presence of M.W. Bro. N. Richard Richards and M.W. Bro. David C. Bradley who are unable to join with us at our Annual Communication session this year. When I was in Guelph this past spring, M. W. Bro. Richards joined with us for the cornerstone dedication ceremony at the Guelph Masonic Center. I always treasure the opportunity to converse with Past Grand Master Richards to share in his many Masonic experiences and to draw on his understanding of the intricacies of our fraternity.

I was so pleased to have had the opportunity to sit in lodge with M.W. Bro. Bradley this past year. As Editor Emeritus, of the Masonic Education Newsletter magazine, he continues to be a source of information, and always willing to offer his sage counsel when called upon. We look forward to their return to Grand Lodge and their active participation in the future.

GRAND LODGE OFFICERS

During my tenure as Grand Master this past year, I was so fortunate to have been able to be represented by 44 District Deputy Grand Masters throughout the jurisdiction.

They have been a great credit to Grand Lodge and to the Craft in general. Each one of them has worked tirelessly to ensure that the programmes of Grand Lodge were carried forth and implemented in their respective Districts. They also ensured that the Grand Master's theme of being aware of our Image of Masons within the community, as well as practicing that distinguishing characteristic of a Mason, that being our Masonic Charity, was promoted and shared with all the Brethren that they came in contact with.

My brethren, you have given of your time and talents as my representative in your district, and for that I will be forever grateful. You have all served well and deserve the accolades given to you by your Brethren. I offer my deepest thanks and appreciation.

Sandy and I thank those who have made our visit to your district that much more enjoyable. You have been such gracious hosts, and have gone out of your way to make us feel right at home. May each of you enjoy good health and happiness in all your future endeavours.

This past year, the Grand Lodge Officers that were elected and appointed served with great zeal and attachment. At the beginning of the Masonic year, I asked those Brethren who received a Grand Lodge appointment to take on an added role, that being to promote visitation within their districts and, if at all possible, to

visit as many lodges as they could to promote those principles and teachings that our fraternity is based upon.

I am so pleased with the way in which you have fulfilled what I have asked you to do. The feedback I have received has been very positive, and I know through your extra efforts we have strengthened our beloved fraternity.

To the members of the Board of General Purposes, I want you to know how much I appreciate your commitment to our fraternity and to the well being of our Grand Lodge. In any organization there are certain responsibilities that need to be completed, but I am always impressed with the dedication that you continue to exhibit as you serve our Brethren, day in and day out. I know they appreciate your extra efforts as much as I do.

To the Grand Senior Warden – R.W. Bro. William G. McKee.

In your journeys across the province, you have continued the tradition of bringing a refreshing and positive attitude to the Office that you have held this past year. In your public, as well as your private avocation, you wear many uniforms. Each one is worn with dignity and professionalism. Your contagious sense of humour, as well as the musical talent the G.A.O.T.U. has bestowed upon you is envied and admired by many. A special “Congratulation” is extended to you on being named the number two Town Crier in Ontario, this past year.

To the Grand Junior Warden – R.W. Bro. Donald J. McNair.

Your support this past year has been greatly appreciated by this Grand Master. Not only have you fulfilled the duties of your office, but you have represented our Grand Lodge when asked to do so, with dignity. This past year you have faced some tremendous challenges relating to your personal health. Through it all, I can honestly say that you have been an inspiration to so many, not only the Grand Lodge Officers, but to those Brethren who know you, and with whom you have come into contact with. May the Most High continue to be your guide and watch over you.

To the Grand Registrar – R.W. Bro. Allan H. Hackett.

With a contagious smile big enough to cover Prince Edward County, you have been a true ambassador for our Grand Lodge this past year. Always willing to fill in where the need may be. You have fulfilled your duties to Heritage Lodge in a most capable and professional manner and represented the Grand Master whenever called upon. Your genuine warmth and enthusiasm has been contagious all across the province. You have certainly raised the bar one notch higher.

To the Grand Chaplain – R.W. Bro. Peter Tink

You have traveled near and far to fulfill the numerous Masonic functions required by the office of the Grand Chaplain. Not only have you become a true friend to numerous Masons across the jurisdiction, but also you have served as a spiritual leader to those in need, when they have asked for your assistance and guidance. Your zeal and optimism has affected many, Thank You, Reverend Sir!

This past year, I have been attended to by two very attentive and dedicated brethren, in the persons of R.W. Bro. Arthur W. Stokes, Grand Director of Ceremonies, and V.W. Bro. Michael Dennis, Assistant Grand Director of Ceremonies. Whenever we have traveled, you have attended with kindness and courtesy and ensured that the

well being of this Grand Master and his Lady, has always been in the forefront. Sandy and I "Thank you" for your personal friendship and our unbounded appreciation is extended to you and your Ladies for your support and devotion.

Two of our stalwart and respected members of the Board of General Purposes have indicated to me that they will be retiring from their duties due to personal and business commitments at the conclusion of this Grand Lodge session.

R.W. Bro. Scott R. Drummond, Golden Rule Lodge No. 126, Campbellford, first served our Grand Lodge as the District Deputy Grand Master of Peterborough District in 1996. In 1999, he was appointed to the Board of General Purposes by the Grand Master of the day, the late M.W. Bro. Robert J. McKibbon. He has served on the Brother to Brother Committee, the Long Range Planning Committee, Membership Resources (sub-chair for D.D.G.M. Orientation), the Masonic Education Committee, as well as, our newest Grand Lodge Committee, Leadership Development. He is also the Grand Representative to the Grand Lodge of West Virginia near our Grand Lodge.

Bro. Drummond's style and commitment to the work of our Grand Lodge will be greatly missed. But, as each of us has learned in our Masonic teachings, our family and our private avocations come first, and each one of us respects your decision. The future is still yours my Brother, we wish you and Nancy the very best.

R.W. Bro. M. Lee Shea, Muskoka Lodge No. 360, Bracebridge, served as the District Deputy Grand Master of Muskoka-Parry Sound District in 1997. He was appointed to the Board of General Purposes in 2001 by M.W. Bro. Terence Shand. He is also the Grand Representative to the Grand Lodge of Utah near our Grand Lodge. Lee has served our Grand Lodge as a member and Chairman of Seminars and Workshops, Blood Donors and the Grand Lodge Library. At the same time, he has continued to serve Muskoka Lodge, as Lodge Secretary, in his District, as a mentor, an advisor and a friend to all. I was privy to a conversation in the Muskoka - Parry Sound District. During the conversation, a question was asked, "How would you describe Lee Shea?" The answer that was given, was, "Refer to the final charge in our Installation Ceremony." "If you see a man who quietly and modestly moves in the sphere of his life, who without blemish fulfills his duty." My Brethren, I couldn't agree more with that statement.

Bro. Shea, on behalf of your Grand Lodge, we "Thank You" for the six years of dedication and service that you have given to our Grand Lodge. We wish you and Donna continued good health and success in the years ahead.

With much personal regret, midway through his tenure, I have accepted the resignation of longtime serving, and respected member of the Board of General Purposes, R.W. Bro. Thomas Edward Lewis, St. Andrew's Lodge No. 661, St. Catharines. Our late Past Grand Master, M.W. Bro. Norman E. Byrne, appointed him to the Board of General Purpose in 1993.

Tom has served our Grand Lodge as a member of the Masonic Holdings Committee as well as the Audit and Finance Committee since that date. In fact, he has served as the Chairman, Audit and Finance Committee, since 1995 to the present date, a total of 12 years. He has also worked for the Cause of the Good as a Director and Treasurer of the Masonic Foundation of Ontario. Bro. Lewis is the

representative to the Grand Lodge of Prince Edward Island near our Grand Lodge. Besides serving our Grand Lodge with devotion and zeal, Tom has offered his time and professional expertise to many Lodges and Temple Corporations who are in need of suggestions and ideas in maintaining their financial independence, all across the Province. You are a true and dedicated Mason and we wish you and Joanne all the best in your future endeavours.

DEDICATION

During this past year, the Grand Lodge Officers and I, had the opportunity to dedicate three facilities for Masonic purposes. They were located in Brant, Frontenac and South Huron Districts.

On October 24, 2006, a newly renovated room at the Brantford Shrine Club, Brantford, became the new home of Brant Lodge No. 45. The Lodge room has been tastefully decorated as the Brethren have utilized space within the home of a Masonic Family member. This arrangement serves the needs of the Brethren of Brant Lodge as they turn a new page in their Lodge history.

On January 19, 2007, along with the Grand Lodge Officers, we traveled to Northbrook to dedicate the new home of St. Andrew's Lodge No. 497. Originally, the lodge met in Tamworth and after making some very hard decisions, moved to Northbrook. They are meeting in a room which is part of the facilities of a local funeral home.

With a renewed enthusiasm, the Brethren of St. Andrew's Lodge have embraced the community of Northbrook, and the community of Northbrook has embraced them. Our best wishes for a successful future in your new Masonic home.

On May 12, 2007, on a sunny spring afternoon, the Grand Lodge Officers and I journeyed to St. Mary's to take part in the dedication ceremony of the new Lodge building of St. James Lodge No. 73.

The Brethren of St. James Lodge are to be commended for the work they have done to present a very positive image of Freemasonry within the community. The new Lodge Building is located in a high profile area within the community in a close proximity of a light industrial area and a residential area. They are also to be congratulated for having the foresight to take advantage of part of their property and supplement their income to help defer costs and expenses.

In all three dedication ceremonies, the ritual was well performed, the facilities for Grand Lodge were nicely provided, and a banquet either proceeded or followed the dedication. The banquet afforded the Brethren attending to enjoy each other's company and to get to know each other a little bit better. I would like to "Thank" all who participated in the planning and implementation of these ceremonies. Your attention to every detail was complete.

ANNIVERSARIES

Each year as time marches ahead, lodges across our jurisdiction continue to celebrate milestone anniversaries. I have been pleased to attend and participate in the following:

50 years

Meridian Lodge No. 687 – Ancaster
Wyndham Lodge No. 688 – Guelph
Flower City Lodge No. 689 – Brampton

Temple Lodge No. 699 – Waterloo

Note: The above four lodges joined together to hold a special night of celebration in Guelph on May 9, 2007. A banquet was held to commemorate the occasion, and immediately thereafter, they adjourned to the Guelph Masonic Center and worked together to pass a well skilled brother to the Fellowcraft degree.

100 years

Gore Bay Lodge No. 472, Gore Bay – September 6, 2006

125 years

Huron Lodge No.392, Camlachie – October 21, 2007

150 years

King Hiram Lodge No. 78, Ingersoll – March 16, 2007

Kilwinning Lodge No. 64, London – September 30, 2006

Sterling Lodge No. 69, Sterling – September 28, 2006

St. John's Lodge No. 75, Scarborough – September 27, 2006

Lodge of Faithful Brethren No. 77, Lindsay – March 9, 2007

St. John's Lodge No. 82, Paris – June 2, 2007

Rising Sun Lodge No. 85, Athens – May 9, 2007

St. George's Lodge No.88, Owen Sound – April 14, 2007

CORNERSTONES

The Freemasons of Ontario have been involved in Cornerstone dedication Ceremonies since 1856 when our first Grand Master, M.W. Bro. William Mercer Wilson invited the Masons of Owen Sound, to join with him in laying the cornerstone of the first Post Office in Ottawa. Since that day, upon request, the Masons of our province have participated in the public ceremony of cornerstone dedications. This year, we were invited to participate in two such ceremonies.

The first ceremony took place on October 14, 2006, at Salmoni Place 1849, in Amherstberg. Salmoni Place 1849 is a building that has a long history in the Amherstberg area, in fact, over the years, it served as a mill, a bar, a restaurant and even briefly the home of Thistle Lodge No. 34. Currently the building is owned by descendants of the original owner and has undergone renovations to be a new housing unit within the community.

On March 24, 2007, we dedicated a cornerstone at the Guelph Masonic Center to commemorate the renovations that have taken place in this great facility.

On both occasions, the media were in attendance and we received positive coverage on national television as well as in the local newspapers. I would encourage our Grand Lodge to continue participation in this type of event when the opportunity presents itself. What a great occasion to present our fraternity in a positive light.

AMALGAMATIONS

Last year in my Grand Master's Address, I noted that we are constantly facing new challenges in our lodges each and every day. Several lodges, due to dwindling numbers, financial circumstances, the constant recycling of Officers and the lack of future members within their communities, have deemed it necessary to enter into the amalgamation process. As I stated last year, and I still maintain to this day amalgamation should only be considered after all avenues have been reviewed and

exhausted to try and keep the lodge vibrant and progressive.

As I mentioned earlier in my Address, an ad hoc committee was established to review the amalgamations that have taken place in the last five years. The lodges that have amalgamated, on the whole, have reported positive results. With a renewed enthusiasm and a positive attitude to make it work, many of the Brethren who have re-kindled their Masonic Flame are working together and building a brighter tomorrow for their lodge and their members.

To the Brethren that I appointed to chair the joint committees for the proposed amalgamations, I would like to express my sincere appreciation to each of you. Your assistance to the lodges involved, your sincerity and your dedication to the future of our fraternity is greatly appreciated.

I have approved and presided over the following amalgamations:

September 11, 2006

York Lodge No. 156 and Bedford Lodge No. 638 – now York Lodge No. 156,
Toronto Don Valley District.

September 12, 2006

Zeta Lodge No. 410 and Shamrock Lodge No. 533 – now Zeta-Shamrock
Lodge No. 410, Toronto Humber Valley District.

October 11, 2006

St. Paul's Lodge No. 107 and Acacia Lodge No. 580 – now St. Paul's Lodge
No. 107, Lambeth, London West District.

January 6, 2007

Vaughan Lodge No. 54 and Mizpah Lodge No. 572 – now Maple Lodge No.
54, Toronto York District.

January 19, 2007

Cataraqui Lodge No. 92 and Royal Edward Lodge No. 585 – now Royal
Edward of Cataraqui Lodge No. 92, Frontenac District.

January 20, 2007

The Belleville Lodge No. 123 and Temple Lodge No. 666 – now Belleville-
Temple Lodge No. 123, Prince Edward District.

January 30, 2007

Wilson Lodge No. 86, Zetland Lodge No. 326, Occident Lodge No. 346 and
Harmony Lodge No. 438 – now Zetland Wilson Lodge No. 86, Toronto Don
Valley District.

January 31, 2007

Ashlar Lodge No. 247 and St. Clair Lodge No. 577 – now Ashlar St. Clair
Lodge No. 247, Toronto Don Valley District.

April 11, 2007

Parkdale Lodge No. 510 and Coronation Lodge No. 677 – now The Perfect
Column Lodge No. 510, Toronto Humber Valley District.

There are lodges currently involved in amalgamation discussions in Toronto Don Valley, Toronto Humber Valley, Ottawa District No. 2 and Peterborough Districts. A Grand Lodge representative has been selected to chair the joint committees during the amalgamation discussions, which are presently underway at the writing of this report.

SURRENDER OF CHARTER

In the fall of 2006, after numerous attempts to keep the lodge going, and realizing that there was no future for the lodge in the years ahead, upon the request of their members, I appointed R.W. Bro. Alan R. Milner to act as Chairman for Otisippi Lodge No. 719 (Sarnia District) to facilitate the provisions of the Constitution of Grand Lodge, as the lodge surrendered their charter. The Extinguishing of the Lights Ceremony took place on October 23, 2006.

I appointed R.W. Bro. Cliff Farber to act as the chairman for Lorne Lodge No. 404, Frontenac District, to facilitate the provisions of the Constitution of Grand Lodge as Lorne Lodge surrendered their charter as well.

No Grand Master ever wants to receive a charter from a lodge, but when all avenues for existence have been exhausted, and amalgamation isn't an option, with regret, we receive same. My appreciation is extended to R.W. Bros. Milner and Farber, for their compassion, understanding as well as their personal touch during these sensitive times.

RECOGNITION OF 100 YEARS OF SERVICE

In accordance with Section 394 of the Book of Constitution of Grand Lodge, I am pleased to grant permission for the following lodges to wear gold braided regalia, effective the dates indicated:

Golden Star Lodge No. 484, Dryden, as of October 8, 2007

Silver Lodge No. 486, Haileybury, as of October 26, 2007

Electric Lodge No. 495, Hamilton, as of June 23, 2009

University Lodge No. 496, Toronto, as of June 14, 2010

Coronation Lodge No. 502, Smithville, as of December 22, 2011

THE MASONIC FAMILY AND SPECIAL EVENTS

Near the end of August 2006, Sandy and I had the pleasure to represent our Grand Lodge at the annual session of the Order of the Eastern Star, held in Toronto. Our sincere appreciation is extended to the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron for the many courtesies, and kind remarks that were extended to us.

Throughout the year, many of the Brethren have heard me talk about the Masonic enthusiasm that is spreading across the province. I feel it is only fitting that we recognize the time, the talent, as well as the many hours of hard work that numerous Brethren have contributed to our Information Booths. When you host our Display Booths, I would remind you that you are the public first impression of Freemasonry, and what we stand for. This year, for the first time, we had Information Display Booth at the Fergus Highland Games (Wellington District). Congratulations are extended to the Brethren who hosted the display tent and answered the many questions they received about Freemasonry. Your results have been positive with much interest in our fraternity and we now have some new Masons as a result of that endeavor.

The week of September 19–23, 2006, was a busy week for the Brethren of Peterborough District. Working as a team, they hosted the Masonic Family Friendship Tent at the International Plowing Match, near Keene. Our thanks to W. Bro. Robert McBride and the Brethren of Peterborough District, for a job well done.

As in the past, our Masonic Leaders continue to meet on a regular basis in

order to share areas of mutual concern and to exchange information that is relevant to each of our organizations, as well as to the future of our fraternity.

Besides our regular meetings, held throughout the year, we met on September 21st at Keene Lodge No. 374. Our special "Thanks" is extended to the Brethren of Keene Lodge for hosting the Leaders and the use of your lodge building for our meeting. After the meeting was over, we travelled together as Masonic Leaders to the I.P.M. site, and met the many visitors to the Display tent. What a great opportunity to meet and to talk to those who have expressed an interest in Freemasonry. Later that evening, we enjoyed Masonic Fellowship at a barbecue at the home of W. Bro. Scott Pimmett. Congratulations are extended to those who worked so hard to ensure this event was a success, especially our Grand Lodge Public Relations Committee for arranging, co-coordinating and promoting this historic occasion.

Last April, I was pleased to attend and represent this Grand Lodge at the 149th Annual Convocation of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons, held in St. Catharines. My sincere appreciation is extended to M. Ex. Companion George H. Gifford and all the Grand Chapter Officers, for the many courtesies extended to Sandy and myself. We look forward to next year when Grand Chapter will be celebrating it's 150th Anniversary on April 3-5, 2008.

In addition, I attended the Imperial Council of the Shrine in Anaheim California, earlier this month. When time and circumstances permitted, I attended as many meetings and functions of the De Molay for Boys, the International Order of Rainbow for Girls and Job's Daughters or ensured that representation from our Grand Lodge was present. Unfortunately, due to previous commitments, I was unable to attend the Sovereign Great Priory as well as an invitation to the Grotto, but I was represented by the Deputy Grand Master at same.

On Sunday, October 29, 2006, I had the opportunity to represent our Grand Lodge at an endowment session at Brock University in St. Catharines. The President of Brock University, Mr. Jack Livingstone, hosted the afternoon. We were joined by faculty members, donors and invited guests, to unveil a donor window to recognize those who have bestowed their time, their support and their many contributions to Brock University. For the last year or so, your Grand Lodge has been involved in recognizing the donation of a private collection of Masonic books by R.W. Bro. Charles Sankey, R.W. Bro. J. Lawrence Runnalls, as well as, the Strandring family. (R.W. Bro. Sankey is a former Chancellor of Brock University). This collection of books is open for viewing for all Masons as well as non-Masons. The collection has over 1200 volumes of books and I was informed there are between 2000-3000 people a year who use them for research and reading purposes. The president spoke very openly about our fraternity and in a positive sense.

Through the generous donation of our Heritage Lodge No. 730, we were able to present a \$10,000.00 endowment towards this worthy project. I would personally like to recognize those Brethren who worked so hard in co-coordinating this event and acting as the liaison with our Grand Lodge, Heritage Lodge and Brock University. Working together we have been successful.

On Tuesday , June 19, 2007, along with the Deputy Grand Master, I paid a fraternal visit to King Solomon's Lodge No. 43, Woodstock, as we joined in an evening of fraternal fellowship with M.W. Bro. Ira S. Slaven, Grand Master, Grand Lodge of Michigan. He was accompanied by M.W. Bro. Walter Wheeler, P.G.M.

of Michigan, and several of his Grand Lodge Officers. What a great evening of Masonic fellowship which concluded when Bro. David Lapointe was installed as the new Worshipful Master of the lodge. To those Grand Lodge Officers who joined with me, I appreciate your attendance and support.

PRESENTATIONS OF MILESTONE RECOGNITIONS

One of the most rewarding experiences I have had this past year is to take part in the presentation of special milestone recognition of a fellow Mason. During this Masonic year, I had the pleasure to recognize long-standing service that many of our Brethren have made to our fraternity. I was pleased to present numerous 50 years a member pin, several 60 years a member pin and one 70 years a member pin. I also had the pleasure to recognize several Brethren for having served their lodge as a Past Master for 50 years .

In the spring of this year, one of our most distinguished Masons celebrated his 80th year of being a member of our great fraternity, that being, R.W. Bro. Charles Sankey. Although our Grand Lodge doesn't have a pin to recognize that milestone contribution, several Brethren from his lodge(s), along with our Deputy Grand Master, R.W. Bro. Allan J. Petrsior, visited our esteemed Brother at his home to mark the occasion.

R.W. Bro. Sankey to this day is one of the most respected Masons in our province. Over the years he has served our Grand Lodge in many capacities, including tenure on the Board of General Purposes. I had the opportunity to talk to R.W. Bro. Sankey the day before his 80th anniversary, and I can honestly tell you his enthusiasm for Freemasonry is certainly contagious.

It is not every day that a Mason in our jurisdiction receives an award from the Governor General of Canada, Her Excellency, the Right Honorable Michelle Jean, but Bro. Jack Robinson received the Caring Canadian Award in recognition of his many years of service to the Smiths Falls Cancer Patients. I would like to share with you a quote, from the Governor General's Citation. It is as follows: " In 1991, Jack Robinson began volunteering as a driver for the Canadian Cancer Society. When he noticed a shortage in transportation services in rural areas, he founded the Masonic Transportation Unit in Smiths Falls region in 1996. Rain or shine, he ensures a comfortable ride to his "clients," and his cheerful and caring presence has supported many of them through difficult times. His guidance at the helm of fund raising has resulted in generous donations to the unit, which now includes two cars and several volunteer drivers, and whose model is being adopted by other organizations. Furthermore, Mr. Robinson has enrolled teams for the Relay of Life, since its inception." Well done Bro. Robinson, you have continued to display that distinguishing characteristic of a Mason, day in and day out, and your Grand Lodge is so proud of your efforts. Keep up the good work!

CONFERENCES

From November 26–30, 2006, the Grand Secretary and I, accompanied by our ladies, attended the 8th World Conference of Masonic Grand Lodges. This Conference is held every 18 months and on this occasion, it was held in Paris France, just prior to the Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge Nationale France. The theme of the conference this year was "Spiritual Awareness in the Modern World."

Although every country represented has different concerns, issues and

problems, I quickly learned from being part of the presentations given at the conference, as well as the in depth discussions with Grand Masters from around the world, we are experiencing similar items and issues that relate to the state of our beloved fraternity.

Many interesting topics were discussed at the session, but two that I found to be most interesting were: what stand and meaning is there tomorrow for our Masonic Order, and how can we best promote its fundamental values and principles on a daily basis?

During the conference, there was a special memorial ceremony to honour the "Unknown Soldier" at the Arc de Triumph. Twelve countries were selected to lead the parade of Masons and Armed Forces Veterans for this most impressive ceremony. Canada was one of the countries chosen to be part of the procession. As your Grand Master, I represented our Grand Lodge, the Grand Lodges of Canada, as well as our country, when I was extended the honour of carrying our Canadian flag during the ceremony. It was definitely an experience I will always remember. The next World Conference is scheduled for May 2008 at Washington, D.C..

The Deputy Grand Master and I, along with our ladies, attended the North American Conference of Grand Masters, held in Portland, Oregon, during February of 2007. This is the largest Conference of Grand Masters in the world. This year, out of the 64 accredited jurisdictions, 59 were represented. The Grand Secretary, as well as the Grand Secretary Emeritus, attended the Grand Secretary's Conference, which was held at the same time and the same location. Besides our own Grand Lodge, Canada was represented by the Grand Lodge of British Columbia and Yukon, Alberta, Manitoba and Newfoundland and Labrador. In addition, there were many observers from fourteen (14) other jurisdictions, as well as the concordant bodies present.

With attendance this year at the highest it has been over the last five years, it was interesting to note that the theme of the conference this year was, "Charting a New Course." At the conference, I had the opportunity to attend a series of Breakout Sessions, which I have always found to be a great opportunity to expand one's level of Masonic knowledge and education. Sessions with topics such as: Attracting Younger Masons, Masonic Awareness and support of our Youth Groups proved to be thought provoking and rewarding. During the session, I had the opportunity to be part of a Grand Master's roundtable discussion. Topics that were talked over included: Aging Membership, Lodge Finances, Empathy, Attendance at Meetings, One-Day Conferrals, Activation and retaining Membership, Taking Lodges to the 21st Century (technology), Keeping candidates after they have been Initiated, and Public Perception of our fraternity.

As you can see, many of the topics that were discussed, most jurisdictions are facing and sharing similar issues. A couple of points I must share with you though, our jurisdiction appears to be slightly ahead of many when it comes to computerization, especially with sending out Lodge Summons electronically. It was brought to the floor of the session how, in our jurisdiction, we have the E.A. Welcoming Team from a District. We received many inquiries on how it works and I am sure it is going to be copied by many jurisdictions throughout America.

I would like to express my sincere "Congratulations" to our Deputy Grand Master, R.W. Bro. Allan J. Petrisor, who was selected to be a member of next year's Time and Place Committee for the conference. I know he will represent our

Grand Lodge well. My Brethren, I would like to "Thank You" for the opportunity to represent you and our Grand Lodge at this conference. What a great opportunity to continue my Masonic development, and hopefully by sharing with you what I have learned, our Grand Lodge will be that much better.

The Deputy Grand Master, the Grand Secretary and myself, also attended the Twenty-fifth Annual Conference of Grand and District Grand Lodges of A.F and A.M. of Canada, held in Winnipeg, Manitoba, at the end of March 2007. In the capacity of observers, we were joined by R.W. Bro. Ed Standish, Honourary Member of the Board of General Purposes (representing Supreme Council) and he gave an excellent paper entitled, "The Importance of Concordant Bodies to Freemasonry."

I was honoured to have been selected to be the chairman of this auspicious event by my peers, from across Canada. As you will remember from the Necrology section of this Address, the conference suffered a terrific loss, with the death of the Vice Chariman, M.W. Bro. Wayne McKay, New Brunswick. With the unanimous support of the Brethren attending the conference, I asked R.W. Bro. William Boone, D.G.M., New Brunswick to fill the vacancy created by the passing of M.W. Bro. McKay. He did so in a most professional manner and I appreciate his support and sage counsel.

This year, we changed the format of the agenda and utilized what has been referred to as the "Ontario Style Breakout Sessions." While the Grand Masters, the Deputy Grand Masters, the Grand Secretaries, as well as the Observers were involved in their own discussion groups, the conversation of these type of sessions proved very beneficial and stimulated much discussion, especially while it was being presented to the full session.

Another new feature was the presentations given by the Grand Masters on the events taking place and the state of Masonry within their respective jurisdictions. There were three items that garnered in-depth discussion at the conference this year, and I would like to share them with you:

1. The possibility of forming a Masonic Credit Union, that Masons from all across Canada can be part of. The delegates attending the conference felt they liked the principle of the presentation and asked for further information to be collected and brought back to the conference next year so it can be discussed further.
2. As we all know, many of our Masons belong to the Armed Services and at any time, as is evident in today's society, can be deployed to active duty throughout the world. It was felt that these Brethren need to have the opportunity to practice their Freemasonry wherever they may be stationed, and I couldn't agree with them more. Discussion was held about the possibility of having a "Military Lodge" that could be Canada wide. At the conclusion of the session, each Grand Lodge was asked to return to their respective jurisdictions and discuss same.

Upon my return from the conference, I presented this topic to the members of our Management Committee and they were in full agreement with the principle as presented. Due to the fact that our Masonic Year came to a conclusion when it did, I have been assured by the chairman of that committee, that it will be on the table for discussion, the first meeting in the fall. (F.Y.I. – The Grand Lodge of Alberta has given a special dispensation for a lodge located near a military

base in Alberta to grant an extension of their charter so that an emergent meeting can be held in Afghanistan.)

3. There is a new Human Rights Museum being built in Winnipeg, scheduled for the year 2010. The Freemasons of Canada have been asked to participate in this venture in one way or another. This was talked about at the conference and the recommendation came forth that all the Grand Masters representing the Grand Lodges across Canada, would offer their collective services to lay the cornerstone at the erection of this building. The presentation of this offer was taken back to those in charge of building the museum, and we await their response.

I would like to "Congratulate" M.W. Bro. Terence Shand, our Grand Secretary on being re-elected treasurer of the conference. A member of the Commission on Information for Recognition of the North American Conference, he also provided an update report regarding several jurisdictions seeking recognition, together with a presentation entitled "Reciprocal Suspensions."

My Brethren, I am so appreciative of the opportunity to exchange information, as well as, sharing Masonic knowledge with our Brethren from all across Canada. I wish M.W. Bro. Stephen Godfrey, Grand Master, Grand Lodge of British Columbia & Yukon (the Conference Chairman for 2008) "All the Best" for a successful session.

ANNUAL COMMUNICATIONS OF GRAND LODGES

Due to numerous commitments within our province, I found it necessary, with due respect, to decline invitations to attend Annual Communication Sessions that we were invited to attend outside of Ontario. This notwithstanding, Sandy and I were able to represent this Grand Lodge at the Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ohio, the Grand Lodge of Maryland, the Grand Loge Nationale Française, the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts, the Grand Lodge of Connecticut, the Grand Lodge of New Jersey, the Grand Lodge of New Hampshire, the Grand Lodge of Indiana, the Grand Lodge of Michigan, and the Grand Lodge of Alberta.

I would like to express my sincere appreciation to the Grand Masters of the jurisdictions that we were able to visit. Each one of you went out of your way to ensure that we were well received and treated in a first class manner. To those of you who invited me to address their Brethren, I thank you for extending to me that opportunity. It is always a pleasure to bring greetings on behalf of my Brethren from across this great province. My Brethren, it has often been mentioned that reciprocal visitation is the lifeblood of our fraternity, and I couldn't agree more.

DISCIPLINE

During this past year, a number of Masonic Complaints were received from lodge members directed towards other lodge members. Upon receiving each complaint, pursuant to Section 84 of the Constitution of the Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario, it is my duty to review each one and deal with it accordingly. Most of them, I find turn out to be private piques and quarrels. Those that aren't, are dealt with either by myself or by a Committee of Inquiry that I appoint, that is in accordance with the Constitution of Grand Lodge.

This past year, pursuant to Section 415 (a), I appointed a trial commission to further a Masonic complaint of unmasonic conduct by a member. A Masonic trial

was held, the member convicted and a recommendation for expulsion was made. Subsequently, the recommendation for expulsion was forwarded to the Committee on Discipline pursuant to Section 423 (f).

At our Annual Communication session last year, I reported to you that I had suspended a Brother due to a number of incidents, in which he was involved. I deemed them to be Masonic offenses relevant to section 410 (e) of the Constitution of Grand Lodge.

He was suspended effective April 26, 2006, and I recommended that his suspension be extended for the remainder of 2006 and through 2007, until this our 152nd Annual Communication session. My recommendation was endorsed and the suspension stood. After receiving further information regarding the issues, and upon receiving a written apology from the afore mentioned Brother stating that he had deeply regretted that the incidents in which he had been involved, and of the turmoil that he had caused to myself as Grand Master, and to our Grand Lodge, I reviewed the incident in February 2007. I was assured that similar instances would not occur in the future. After due consideration, I abridged his suspension and re-instated him to good standing effective March 1, 2007. Notification to the concordant bodies was accordingly given.

Over the past several years a series of issues have created disharmony and discontent, not only amongst several members of Cope-Stone Lodge No.373, but throughout portions of Niagara District B. Numerous attempts to mediate the issues have been made by myself and my predecessors without success. These serious issues relate to unresolved complaints of Brother against Brother, together with, allegations of financial improprieties. Therefore, pursuant to Section 85, Constitution of Grand Lodge, on April 9, 2007, I caused the warrant of the Lodge to be arrested and suspended the operation of Cope-Stone Lodge No. 373 until further notice.

I also directed the Lodge Secretary that a copy of my directive is mailed to each member of Cope-Stone Lodge, in explanation of this action. I emphasized that my directive did not affect the Masonic status of any member of the Lodge. On May 10, 2007, I informed the Worshipful Master of the lodge that pursuant to Section 179(a) of the Constitution of Grand Lodge, that it was my intention to recommend at this Annual Communication Session, that I would recommend that the warrant be revoked.

On June 5, 2007, the Worshipful Master , Secretary and Treasurer , along with several Past Masters (representing three distinct groups) of the lodge, met with myself and the Grand Secretary to show cause why the Charter should not be revoked. After in-depth discussion, it was felt by all in attendance from Cope-Stone Lodge, that differences and discontent could not be set aside so harmony could prevail within the lodge. Therefore, with due regret I recommend that the Charter of Cope-Stone Lodge No. 373, be revoked.

Other disciplinary actions will be noted in the report of the Chairman of Discipline Committee.

My Brethren, each day of our lives, we need to remember those principles and teachings that this fraternity is founded upon. Each and every day of our lives we need to act as men and as Masons.

BUILDING A BRIGHTER TOMORROW

In the past, every two years or so, several members of the Board of General

Purposes, along with members of the Management Committee, have come together to take part in a working retreat at Crieff Hills, near Guelph, Ontario. Many issues of importance relating to the future of our fraternity are discussed, including our Grand Lodge's Five-Year Plan. This past year, I suggested that we cancel the Crieff session and in its place have a one-day in depth session to include all members of the Board of General Purposes. I felt this would afford us an opportunity to have an open and frank discussion relating to the relevant issues facing our fraternity today and in the years ahead. Prior to the session, I asked those attending to do three things.

First of all, be prepared to work in a positive, relaxed and constructive atmosphere for a solid eight hours. Secondly, to review and become familiar with our Grand Lodge's Five-Year Plan, and be prepared to bring to the session a concern or concerns that they felt our Grand Lodge needs to face immediately relating to the future of our great fraternity.

Thirdly, utilizing the assistance of skills and talent of members of the Management Committee, as well as R.W. Bros. Norman McCarthy and Barry Hutton, the Brethren started the session by taking part in a "walkabout" related to various topics relating to the Five-Year Plan. At each station they answered the question, "In your opinion, what actions would you put into place now, to improve this objectively and how?" After the question and answer session was concluded, there was then a discussion by all on an article called "Restoring the Center" led by R.W. Bro. Terry McLean. Breakout sessions continued under the title called "The G.M.'s Hot Picks" topics for discussion included:

- Public awareness of our fraternity and our profile within the community;
- The development of a continuous feedback program (from Grand Lodge – Districts – Lodges to the individual Brethren);
- What can our Grand Lodge do to support the Masonic Foundation of Ontario?
- Do we need to have one Charity of Choice?
- What is the biggest challenge facing Masonry today?
- What opportunities, as they present themselves, do we need to capitalize on?

Aging membership and non-payment of dues are growing concerns our lodges are facing on a daily basis. What can we do to help the lodges face this issue? Do we need to review the programs used by Grand Lodge? What is working and what isn't working? Membership always is a concern. Are we keeping our members? If not, why aren't we?

Demolay, Job's Daughters and Rainbow for Girls. What role should we as a Grand Lodge be involved in with these youth organizations?

The session concluded with a presentation on a paper by R.W. Bro. D. Garry Dowling entitled, "L.C.B.O. the Success of Marketing." This paper referred to the success of an organization that was having serious trouble existing. How they took a look at themselves and made changes to ensure they would be viable and have a presence in the years ahead. A thought provoking exercise that created an opportunity for those Brethren in attendance, to pause and reflect on the future of our Grand Lodge and Freemasonry in Ontario.

At the conclusion of the session, thoughts, ideas and comments were collected

by the Chairman of the Long Range Planning Committee. He submitted the highlights of the session to the Management Committee along with suggested material for the Management Committee to address and recommend in the near future. This event was facilitated by the Chairman of the Grand Lodge Long Range Planning Committee, R.W. Bro. Paul Todd and the Management Liaison for L.R.P. R.W. Bro. Terry A. McLean and R.W. Bro. D. Garry Dowling. My sincere appreciation for a job well done. As well, I would like to "Thank" those Brethren who facilitated the sessions. Your efforts helped make the day a success.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS AND APPRECIATION

There is a group of individuals who are often forgotten and sometimes overlooked. They go about their duty day in and day out working tirelessly to do the good deed and working for the betterment of the cause. The Brethren that I refer to are the volunteers of our Grand Lodge. The volunteers who offer their time and dedication, to work on the various Grand Lodge committees without remuneration, and often without recognition.

The volunteers who help out around the Grand Lodge Office, be it assisting our staff by doing the "little things" or helping us with special renovation projects. We appreciate your efforts as well as your friendly and positive attitudes. The volunteers who have worked long hours in hot, humid weather to ensure that our Annual Communication Session falls into place and the little things that we take for granted happen.

The set up crew, the election officials, those manning the display booths, those making presentations at the Workshop sessions, are only a few that come to mind. I am sure that I may have missed someone and for that I apologize. My Brethren, volunteers are an intricate part of every organization and our Grand Lodge is no different. We sometimes take the work you do for granted, but you should know how much we appreciate your assistance and dedication throughout the year. Thank You my Brethren!

The Custodian of the Work, M.W. Bro. C. E. Drew, this past year has continued to convey his knowledge and understanding to the Masons of our province, almost on a daily basis. Not only as a constant resource for the D.D.G.M.s, when called upon, he has served as a guide and a mentor, to the members of the Lodge of Instruction Team, as well as to many Brethren across the jurisdiction. Recently, I accepted his resignation as Custodian of the Work. On the recommendation of the Grand Lodge Ritual Committee, I am pleased to announce the appointment of M.W. Bro. Donald H. Mumby, as the new Custodian of the Work effective tomorrow July 19, 2007.

Our sincere appreciation is extended to M.W. Bro. Drew for his tireless commitment and dedication to the position of Custodian of the Work. Always available to assist our Brethren in so many ways, especially whenever a question needed a response, even those asked by this Grand Master. To M.W. Bro. Mumby, we wish you great success as you undertake your new responsibilities. The foundation for learning and developing our Masonic knowledge, the proper and correct way has been something you have believed in and promoted for many years. Good health and safe travels in the years ahead as our new Custodian of the Work.

To the Grand Secretary, M.W. Bro. Terence Shand, I would like to express my sincere appreciation to you, for your assistance, constructive suggestions, and

guidance during the last two years. During that time period we have had to face several issues of a sensitive matter and make several decisions that weren't always popular. The understanding that you have of our fraternity, added to your dedication to our Grand Lodge, has made my job that much easier, and for that I am truly grateful. Thank You for all that you have done.

I am also grateful to the dedicated staff at our Grand Lodge Office who have worked so diligently and so efficiently this past year. In the springtime of 2007, we accepted the desire of one of our long time employees to retire after fifty-one (51) years of service to our Grand Lodge – Mrs. Dorothy Chalmers. We will miss you! I once read that "Loyality is making yourself part of an organization by making it part of you." Mrs. Chalmers, that certainly has been you. We will miss your dedication and professional manner. You have set the standard high. We wish you well in the future and may you enjoy good health and happiness.

I would like to welcome, Ms. Angela Schmidt who recently joined our staff. Angela brings a wealth of knowledge, understanding and compassion to our Grand Lodge office. We wish her well and welcome her to our "family."

My personal "Thanks" is extended to Gail Nickerson, Rose Blandin, Stacey Birks, and Donna Harvey for your willingness to assist in so many ways. Your enthusiastic demeanor, as well as your devotion to our organization, is appreciated by so many of our Brethren, myself included.

I would also like to recognize the untiring efforts of R.W. Bro. Ken Schweitzer for all that he continues to do for our Grand Lodge. Always ready to assist in so many ways with that warm smile and a standing offer to help with any job that needs to be done, he has been a reliable resource for this Grand Master as he has for so many in the past.

During my tenure as Grand Master, I selected the Crohn's and Colitis Foundation of Canada as my project of choice. Having lived with Crohn's Disease since 1979, I would like you to know how much I appreciate the support that the lodges, the districts as well as – YOU – my Brethren have given to this project. It is interesting to note that 93 cents out of every dollar goes to the research to find a cure for Crohn's disease. I would like to "Thank You" for your generous contributions and to the Masonic Foundation of Ontario (Project 2400). I appreciate your assistance in this matter. Working together and with your assistance, we will make a difference!

OF SPECIAL NOTE

I make special mention of several Brethren who have made my task as Grand Master, so much easier.

Our Deputy Grand Master, R.W. Bro. Allan J. Petrisor, has been my consultant, my companion, my advisor and my friend. Over the last two years, as we have traveled together across the province and outside the jurisdiction. A bond of friendship and appreciation has developed that I trust will last a lifetime. I have no qualms in handing over the Grand Master's gavel to him, for I know with his dedication that he will lead our Grand Lodge to the best of his skill and ability. Thank You, R.W. Bro. Petrisor, my Brother and my friend!

To my family, my wife Sandy and my son's Bros. Greg and Drew. I am not sure if there are any words that I can use to express my appreciation for the support and the dedication that you have given me over the years. There have been

occasions that our family time together had to be sacrificed due to my Masonic commitments and never once did it cause a ripple in our family. Your understanding and support has always been there and I am so appreciative of that.

A special recognition is extended to my wife Sandy, who over the years has been my main supporter in anything that I have done. I am sure there isn't a Grand Master or a Past Grand Master in this room, who won't tell you that without the participation and support of one's partner, the tenure and the demands of this job would be next to impossible. Her confidence in me, her willingness to re-arrange her schedule at a moment's notice, as well as her love and encouragement are greatly appreciated.

GRAND MASTER'S RECOMMENDATIONS

In the society that we live in today, changes take place on a regular basis. Unfortunately, some of these changes affect our lodges and their well-being, often with consequences that relate to the future of the lodge and the community in which they are located. This past year, it came to my attention that there were several lodges in our jurisdiction that were meeting in locations that did not conform to the Constitution of Grand Lodge (i.e. Section 150). Subsequently, I granted dispensation for those lodges to meet in their present location until further notice. I have also advised them that suggested recommendations will be made for the Constitution to reflect those situations and circumstances.

As was previously reported in this Address, there were several ideas and recommendations that came forth from the All Canada Conference that I found to be positive and worthwhile. I would recommend that our Grand Lodge look very seriously at a way to enable our Brethren who are serving our country in various locations throughout the world to enjoy the fellowship of our fraternity in a manner similar to that which they enjoy and are part of when they are home within our jurisdiction. I also feel we need to join with our Brethren across Canada in their support of the Canadian Heritage Museum in the recommended fashion proposed at the All Canada Conference Spring of 2007.

There were many positive and enthusiastic items that were brought forth from the session called, "Building a Brighter Tomorrow." These ideas, thoughts and suggestions, can form the foundation of discussion that can ensure the future of Freemasonry in Ontario for years to come. I would recommend that the Management Committee continue to review these items and continue their efforts to work together for the betterment of our Craft.

In the last few years, I have noticed that if there is an area, where as a Grand Lodge we seem to fall a bit short, that is in our support and guidance that we give to the Youth Groups, i.e. DeMolay, Job's Daughters and Rainbow for Girls. The giving of financial assistance is certainly appreciated by these young people, but what they really need is our physical presence in the role of sponsors, mentors, and by being more active in our support to them.

I would recommend as a Grand Lodge, we need to increase our participation with these youth groups. They are our future. They are the future leaders of our society and our fraternities. They need our help and they need it now!

CONCLUSION

Before I conclude, I would like to take a moment and express my sincere

appreciation to the Officers and Member of Burns' Lodge No. 153 in Wyoming. In 1979 you offered me the opportunity to be the Worshipful Master of the lodge and in 1986, you afforded me the honour, of representing our lodge on the occasion of our 125th Anniversary. The Brethren of Sarnia District supported that decision and have been behind me ever since. For that kind of support and encouragement, I will be forever grateful.

Two years ago, when I was installed as your 72nd Grand Master, I shared with you my commitment to you during my tenure as your Grand Master. I shared with you my desire to affirm the basic principles of Freemasonry. During the last two years, I have tried to remind you as Masons, we need to be ever mindful of our Personal Image and of our Masonic Charity. Our Personal Image as a Mason is portrayed by our deeds, our actions, as well as, our body language. Being a Mason doesn't mean getting dressed and going to lodge once a month. Being a Mason is living by the lessons that we have learned from our teachings and our ritual. Those lessons that make us better men, better fathers, better husbands, and better Masons. Being a Mason is living as a Mason twenty-four hours a day each and every day of the week.

Our Masonic Charity is more than just the giving of financial assistance. It is receiving and sharing. It requires that you first have something to share. Find out if the intended recipient wants or needs that which you wish to share, then share it willingly. My Brethren remember, Freemasonry is not a charity, nor does it have as its main purpose charitable giving. When it comes to your time, pass it forward not backwards! My Brethren, how are you doing with your Masonic Charity?

As my tenure of office draws to a close, I must share with you how proud I am to be a member of a worldwide fraternity of men, whose principles around the world remain constant and steadfast. In Ontario these past few years, we are witnessing a positive growth and interest in our fraternity and what Freemasonry stands for. We are witnessing a renewed interest in our Craft and deeper respect for the principles that our fraternity is based upon. In the ever-changing society that we live in, we have the ability to make a difference. My Brethren, the Future of Freemasonry is what you make of it. The Future of Freemasonry is with you!

Gary L. Atkinson
Grand Master

Appendix "A"

July 2006

31 D.D.G.M Regional Meeting

Centreville

August 2006

1	D.D.G.M. Regional Meeting	Hamilton
2	D.D.G.M. Regional Meeting	Huntsville
3	D.D.G.M. Regional Meeting	Napanee
18	Visitors Night – Muskoka Lodge No. 360	Bracebridge
22	Grand Lodge Chairman's Meeting	Hamilton
26	O.E.S. Annual Session	Toronto
30	Friends of John Green Charity Golf Tournament	Goderich

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September 2006

5	Fraternal Visit/Presentation – Burns' Lodge No. 153	Wyoming
6	Fraternal Visit/Presentation – Parthenon Lodge No. 267	Chatham
8	Temiskaming District G.M. Reception	Timmins
9	100 th Anniversary – Gore Bay Lodge No. 472 and Sudbury-Manitoulin G.M. Reception	Gore Bay
11	Amalgamation York Lodge No. 156 and Bedford Lodge No. 638	Thornhill
12	Amalgamation Zeta Lodge No. 410 and Shamrock Lodge No. 533	Toronto
13-17	Supreme Council	Halifax
19-21	International Plowing Match	Keene
21	Masonic Leaders	Keene
22	86 er's Reunion	Toronto
27	Fraternal Visit/Presentation – Hastings Lodge No. 633	Norwood
30	150 th Anniversary – Kilwinning Lodge No. 64	London

October 2006

4	Management Meeting – Grand Lodge Office	Hamilton
10	Toronto Lodge of Perfection – Guest Speaker	Toronto
11	Amalgamation Acacia Lodge No. 580 and St. Paul's Lodge No. 107	Lambeth
13	Fraternal Visit/Presentation – Georgina Lodge No. 343	Toronto
14	Cornerstone Dedication – Salmoni Place	Amherstburg
16	Fraternal Visit/Presentation – Acacia Lodge No. 61	Hamilton
18-20	Grand Lodge of Ohio	Fairbourn
21	125 th Anniversary – Huron Lodge No. 392 and Sarnia District G.M. Reception	Camlachie
23	Extinguishing Of the Lights Ceremony – Otisippi Lodge No. 719	Sarnia
24	Dedication of New Lodge Facilities – Brant Lodge No. 45	Brantford
27	150 th Anniversary – St. John's Lodge No. 75	Scarborough
28	150 th Anniversary – Stirling Lodge No. 69	Stirling
29	Endowment Presentation – Brock University	St. Catharines

November 2006

1	Charter Restoration/Presentation – Niagara Lodge No. 2	Niagara-on-the-Lake
3	Muskoka-Parry Sound G.M. Reception	Parry Sound
4	Georgian Districts G.M. Reception	Barrie
8	Fraternal Visit – Seymour Lodge No. 277	St. Catharines
9	Fraternal Visit/Presentation/Inst. – Wilmot Lodge No. 318	Cambridge
10	St. Thomas District G.M. Reception	Aylmer
11	Erie District G.M. Reception	Leamington
13	Past Grand Masters' Meeting	Hamilton
13	Fraternal Visit/Installation – New Dominion Lodge No. 205	Baden
17-19	Grand Lodge of Maryland	Baltimore
21	Georgian Social Club	Orillia
21	Fraternal Visit/Installation – Victoria Lodge No. 470	Victoria Harbour
22	Management Committee Meeting	Hamilton
26-30	World Conference	Paris, France

December 2006

1-3	Grande Loge Nationale Française	Paris, France
12	Fraternal Visit – Lorne Lodge No. 282	Glencoe
13	Fraternal Visit/Installation – Jerusalem Lodge No. 31	Bowmanville
14	Fraternal Visit/Presentation – University Lodge No. 496	Toronto
21	Fraternal Visit/Installation – Mt. Olivet Lodge No. 300	Thorndale
26-28	Grand Lodge of Massachusetts	Boston

January 2007

2	Fraternal Visit – Clinton Lodge No. 84	Goderich
6	Amalgamation Mizpah Lodge No. 572 and Vaughan Lodge No. 54	Maple
8	Fraternal Visit – St. Thomas Lodge No. 44	St. Thomas
13	Mid-Year Meeting with D.D.G.M.s	Scarborough
19	Dedication of New Lodge Facilities – St. Andrew's Lodge No. 497	Northbrook
19	Amalgamation Royal Edward Lodge No. 585 and Catarqui Lodge No. 92	Kingston
20	Amalgamation The Belleville Lodge No. 123 and Temple Lodge No. 666	Belleville
23	Management Committee Meeting	Hamilton
30	Amalgamation Zetland Lodge No. 326, Harmony Lodge No. 438 Occident Lodge No. 346, and Wilson Lodge No. 86	Toronto
31	Amalgamation St. Clair Lodge No. 577 and Ashlar Lodge No. 247	Toronto

February 2007

16-20	Conference of Grand Masters of North America	Portland, Oregon
24	Building a Brighter Tomorrow	Hamilton

March 2007

2	Chatham District G.M. Reception	Ridgetown
3	Windsor District G.M. Reception	Windsor
6	Fraternal Visit – Warren Lodge No. 120	Fingal
8	Fraternal Visit – Burns' Lodge No. 153	Wyoming
9	150 th Anniversary – Lodge of Faithful Brethren No. 77	Lindsay
10	Sarnia District Ladies' Night	Wyoming
16	150 th Anniversary – King Hiram Lodge No. 37	Ingersoll
17	Niagara Districts G.M. Reception	St. Catharines
20	Fraternal Visit/Presentation – Dufferin Lodge No. 364	Melbourne
21	Management Committee Meeting	Hamilton
22	Detroit Lodge No. 2 – Fraternal Visit @ G.M. of Michigan	Detroit
24	Cornerstone Dedication at Guelph Masonic Temple and Wellington District G.M. Reception	Guelph
25-27	Grand Lodge of Connecticut	Hartford
28	Toronto Districts G.M. Reception	Toronto
29-31	All Canada Conference	Winnipeg

April 2007

2	Fraternal Visit – Alexandra-Inwood Lodge No. 158	Oil Springs
10	Fraternal Visit/Presentation – Naphtali Lodge No. 413	Tilbury
11	Amalgamation Parkdale Lodge No. 510 and Coronation Lodge No. 677	Toronto
12	Fraternal Visit/Presentation – Mr. Sinai Lodge No. 522	Thornhill
13	Masonic Leaders	Toronto
14	150 th Anniversary – St. George's Lodge No. 88	Owen Sound
17	Fraternal Visit/Presentation – Nilestown Lodge No. 345	Nilestown
18	Management Committee Meeting	Hamilton
19	W.M.W. Presentation to Bro. H. Cooper – Burns' Lodge No. 153	Wyoming
21	Grand Lodge Chairmen's Meeting	London
21	London Districts G.M. Reception	London
22-24	Grand Lodge of New Jersey	Atlantic City
26-28	Grand Chapter	St. Catharines
28	Ottawa Districts G.M. Reception	Ottawa

May 2007

2	Fraternal Visit/Presentation – Wingham Lodge No. 286	Wingham
4	150 th Anniversary – Rising Sun Lodge No. 85 and St. Lawrence District G.M. Reception	Athens
5	150 th Anniversary – Oxford Lodge No. 76	Woodstock
7	Grey District G.M. Reception	Arthur
8	Rose Croix Installation – Toronto Valley	Toronto
9	50 th Anniversary Meridian Lodge No. 687, Wyndham Lodge No. 688, Flower City Lodge No. 689, and Temple Lodge No. 690	Guelph
10	Past Grand Masters' Meeting – Grand Lodge Office	Hamilton
11	Prince Edward District G.M. Reception	Belleville
12	Dedication of New Lodge Building – St. James Lodge No. 73 South Huron District G.M. Reception	St. Mary's Kirkton
14-16	Grand Lodge of Indiana	Indianapolis
17	Fraternal Visit – Burns' Lodge No. 153	Wyoming
18-20	Grand Lodge of New Hampshire	Manchester
21-23	Grand Lodge of Michigan	Mt. Pleasant
25-27	Algoma District G.M. Reception and Algoma District Divine Service	Thunder Bay

June 2007

2	150 th Anniversary St. John's Lodge No. 82 and Brant District G.M. Reception	Paris
3	Sarnia District Divine Service	Lambton Shores
4	Fraternal Visit/Presentation – Howard Lodge No. 391	Ridgetown
5	Audit and Finance Meeting – Grand Lodge office	Hamilton
6	Management Committee Meeting	Hamilton
7-9	Grand Lodge of Alberta	Edmonton
12	Fraternal Visit – Alma Lodge No. 72	Cambridge
14	Fraternal Visit/Presentation – Burns' Lodge No. 153	Wyoming
19	Fraternal Visit/Presentation – King Solomon's Lodge No. 43	Woodstock

20	Scottish Rite Golf Tournament	Windsor
21	Fraternal Visit/Installation – St. David's Lodge No. 302	St. Thomas
25	Hanover Steak Fry	Hanover
28	Thistle Lodge No. 250 (Quarry Lodge)	Embro
29	Imperial Shrine	Anaheim

July 2007

16	Board of General Purposes Meetings – F.R.Y.H.	Toronto
18	Annual Communication of Grand Lodge – F.R.Y.H.	Toronto

APPOINTMENT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE GRAND MASTER'S ADDRESS

At the conclusion of the Address, it was moved by the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by M.W. Bro. D. H. Mumby, and carried: That a committee composed of all the Past Grand Masters present consider and report to Grand Lodge on the Grand Master's Address.

PRESENTATION OF GRAND REPRESENTATIVE COMMISSION

During the sessions, M.W. Bro. Gary L. Atkinson called the following brethren R. W. Bro. Lloyd Hammel (Sweden), R.W. Bro. Arthur Stokes (Bulgaria (U.G.L.) , R.W. Bro. Earl Jones (Para), R.W. Bro. Michael Dennis (Chile) and R.W. Bro. J. David Bell (Santa Catarina) to the East, and presented them with their Commission.

*A brief Memorial Service was conducted by
R.W. Bro. Peter D. Tink, Grand Chaplain*

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*Are inscribed and fraternally dedicated
in memory of*

Our Departed Brethren

R.W. BRO. STANLEY BRUCE AUCKLAND
District Deputy Grand Master – 1981

Born 1929
Died January 26, 2007
Initiated Durham Lodge No. 306, Durham, 1969; W.M. 1977, 2002, 2003

R.W. BRO. DAVID ROSS BEXTON
District Deputy Grand Master – 1970

Born November 3, 1929
Died December 14, 2006
Initiated Wellington Lodge No. 46, Chatham, 1957; W.M. 1964

R.W. BRO. ROBERT TAYLOR BOOTH
Grand Director of Ceremonies – 1988

Born September 7, 1927
Died June 28, 2007
Initiated King Solomon's Lodge No. 378, London, 1958; W.M. 1969

R.W. BRO. WILLIAM JAMES BOSTON
District Deputy Grand Master – 1982

Born 1917
Died March 22, 2007
Initiated Prince of Wales Lodge No. 630, Toronto, 1958; W.M. 1966, 1967
Affiliated Mt. Moriah Lodge No. 727, Brampton, 1975
Affiliated Heritage Lodge No. 730, Cambridge, 1979
Affiliated Anniversary Lodge No. 733, Etobicoke, 1980; W.M. 1980
Affiliated Mt. Sinai Lodge No. 522, Thornhill, 1986
Affiliated Chinguacousy Lodge No. 738, Brampton, 1987
Affiliated Runnymede Lodge No. 619, Toronto, 1994
Affiliated Dufferin Lodge No. 570, Thornhill, 1995
Affiliated Millennium Lodge No. 743, Brampton, 2000

R.W. BRO. DONALD OLIVER BOWIE
District Deputy Grand Master – 1972

Born 1911
Died February 13, 2007
Initiated Alma Lodge No. 72, Cambridge, 1957; W.M. 1964

R.W. BRO. WILLIAM RUSSELL C. BRADFORD
Grand Registrar – 1982

Born February 8, 1925, Quebec
Died September 2, 2006
Initiated St. James Lodge No. 73, St. Marys, 1950; W.M. 1956
Affiliated True Britons Lodge No. 14, Perth, 1979; 1981
Affiliated Heritage Lodge No. 730, Cambridge, 1981

R.W. BRO. EDWARD SIDNEY P. CARSON
District Deputy Grand Master – 1979

Born October 28, 1929
Died December 5, 2006
Initiated Union Lodge No. 380, London, 1955; W.M. 1975
Affiliated Heritage Lodge No. 730, Cambridge, 1980
Affiliated London Daylight Lodge No. 735, London, 1982

R.W. BRO. HENRY JAMES COE
 District Deputy Grand Master – 1959

Born August 28, 1913

Died March 9, 2007

Initiated Algoma Lodge No. 469, Sault Ste Marie, 1935; W.M. 1944
 Affiliated Terrace Bay Lodge No. 662, Terrace Bay, 1949; W.M. 1949, 1971
 Affiliated Port Arthur Lodge No. 499, Thunder Bay, 1984

R.W. BRO. HENRY CHARLES COOMBER
 District Deputy Grand Master – 1998

Born 1925

Died March 6, 2007

Initiated Fort Osborne Lodge No. 144, Manitoba, 1953
 Affiliated Leamington Lodge No. 290, Leamington, 1974
 Affiliated Parvaim Lodge No. 395, Comber, 1988; W.M. 1992

R.W. BRO. MICHAEL JOHN DAVISON
 District Deputy Grand Master – 1990

Born 1936

Died August 13, 2006

Initiated Reba Lodge No. 515, Brantford, 1971; W.M. 1977
 Affiliated Ozias Lodge No. 508, Burford, 1993

R.W. BRO. ALLAN FRANKLIN DUNSMORE
 District Deputy Grand Master – 1999

Born 1936

Died October 17, 2006

Initiated St. John's Lodge No. 21a, Vankleek Hill, 1960; W.M. 1969, 1995

R.W. BRO. JAMES ALEXANDER FISHER
 District Deputy Grand Master – 1997

Born February 13, 1938

Died March 20, 2007

Initiated Tavistock Lodge No. 609, Tavistock, 1986; W.M. 1991
 Affiliated Waterloo Lodge No. 539, Waterloo, 2000
 Affiliated Heritage Lodge No. 730, Cambridge, 2000
 Affiliated New Light Lodge No. 744, Waterloo, 2001

R.W. BRO. KEITH ROBERT A. FLYNN
 District Deputy Grand Master – 1975

Born August 11, 1936, London, Ontario

Died July 25, 2006

Initiated Belleville Lodge No. 123, Belleville, 1966
 Affiliated Elma Lodge No. 456, Monkton, 1968; W.M. 1974

R.W. BRO. GLENN HORACE GILPIN
 District Deputy Grand Master – 1997

Born April 8, 1934

Died April 26, 2007

Initiated Nitetus Lodge No. 444, Creemore, 1979; W.M. 1985
 Affiliated Innisfil Lodge No. 737, Stroud, 1984
 Affiliated Heritage Lodge No. 730, Cambridge, 1988

R.W. BRO. RONALD GLITHERO
 District Deputy Grand Master – 2002

Born 1945, Strathroy, Ontario

Died August 13, 2006

Initiated Ionic Lodge No. 328, Napier, 1993; W.M. 1998

R.W. BRO. WILLIAM HUGH GRANT
 District Deputy Grand Master – 1990

Born 1932

Died January 29, 2007

Initiated Victoria Lodge No. 398, Kirkfield, 1956; W.M. 1971

R.W. BRO. WILLIAM ARTHUR HAGAN
 District Deputy Grand Master – 1961

Born July 12, 1917

Died October 18, 2006

Initiated Canada Lodge No. 532, Ajax, 1944; W.M. 1953
 Affiliated Progress Lodge No. 711, Toronto, 1964

R.W. BRO. RICHARD NORMAN HALL
District Deputy Grand Master – 1980

Born 1921, Ameliasburg, Ontario
Died September 4, 2006
Initiated Lake Lodge No. 215, Ameliasburg, 1954; W.M. 1964

R.W. BRO. HUGH OSGOOD IMRIE
District Deputy Grand Master – 1967

Born 1927, Woodville, Ontario
Died July 4, 2007
Initiated Harding Lodge No. 477, Woodville, 1949; W.M. 1961

R.W. BRO. HUGH BURTON JOHNSON
District Deputy Grand Master – 1976

Born 1921, Brock Township, Ontario
Died February 11, 2007
Initiated Inwood Lodge No. 503, Oil Springs, 1943; W.M. 1951

R.W. BRO. RAYMOND BRYAN JOHNSON
District Deputy Grand Master – 1978

Born 1921, Cochrane, Ontario
Died September 27, 2006
Initiated Cochrane Lodge No. 530, Cochrane, 1944; W.M. 1961, 1998 – 2001
Affiliated Heritage Lodge No. 730, Cambridge, 1984

R.W. BRO. DANIEL (NICK) KORMAN
District Deputy Grand Master – 1943

Born July 7, 1912, Englehart, Ontario
Died December 1, 2006
Initiated Englehart Lodge No. 534, Englehart, 1934; W.M. 1942
Affiliated Mosaic Lodge No. 559, Richmond Hill, 1986

R.W. BRO. HUGH FLETCHER LYLE
District Deputy Grand Master – 1973

Born 1927, St. Thomas, Ontario
Died October 23, 2006
Initiated Warren Lodge No. 120, Fingal, 1958; W.M. 1968

R.W. BRO. ANTHONY MANCINI
District Deputy Grand Master – 1971

Born 1927, Foleyet, Ontario
Died August 13, 2006
Initiated Georgian Lodge No. 348, Midland, 1949
Affiliated Seven Star Lodge No. 285, Alliston, 1955; W.M. 1966

R.W. BRO. WILLIAM THOMSON MARSHALL
District Deputy Grand Master – 1990

Born 1925
Died November 2, 2006
Initiated Corinthian Lodge No. 96, Barrie, 1961
Affiliated Manito Lodge No. 90, Collingwood, 1965; W.M. 1973
Affiliated Beaver Lodge No. 234, Thornbury, 2005

R.W. BRO. WILLIAM CHARLES MacDOUGALL
District Deputy Grand Master – 1974

Born 1914
Died February 19, 2007
Initiated Doric Lodge No. 455, Little Current, 1955; W.M. 1966

R.W. BRO. DUNCAN ALLAN McGUGAN
District Deputy Grand Master – 1957

Born 1926, Caradoc Township, Ontario
Died May 20, 2007
Initiated St. John's 81, Mt. Brydges, 1947; W.M. 1956

R.W. BRO. MAXWELL KEITH McLEAN
District Deputy Grand Master – 1988

Born May 2, 1922
Died November 23, 2006
Initiated Brant Lodge No. 663, Burlington, 1966; W.M. 1973
Affiliated Wellington Square Lodge No. 725, Burlington, 1973
Affiliated Heritage Lodge No. 730, Cambridge, 1986
Affiliated Millennium Lodge No. 743, Toronto, 2000

R.W. BRO. GORDON ARTHUR MONK
Grand Registrar – 1996

Born September 4, 1936, Toronto, Ontario
Died September 18, 2006
Initiated Manito Lodge No. 90, Collingwood, 1963
Affiliated Arcadia Lodge No. 440, Minden, 1977; W.M. 1985
Affiliated Heritage Lodge No. 730, Cambridge, 1996
Affiliated Millennium Lodge No. 743, Toronto, 2000
Board of General Purposes – 1998 - 1999

R.W. BRO. ISAAC ELWOOD MUTCH
District Deputy Grand Master – 1985

Born July 21, 1916
Died December 6, 2006
Initiated Port Arthur Lodge No. 499, Thunder Bay, 1939
Affiliated Superior Lodge No. 672, Red Rock, 1952; W.M. 1964

R.W. BRO. LORNE WILLIAM PACEY
District Deputy Grand Master – 1956

Born July 9, 1915, Milberta Twp., Ontario
Died June 4, 2007
Initiated Silver Lodge No. 486, Haileybury, 1948; W.M. 1957
Board of General Purposes 1971 – 1991
Meritorious Service Award 2004

R.W. BRO. HARTLEY HARRISON PERKINS
District Deputy Grand Master – 1976

Born 1926
Died October 8, 2006
Initiated Nipissing Lodge No. 420, North Bay, 1951; W.M. 1960

R.W. BRO. GEORGE CARL PHAIR
Grand Director of Ceremonies – 1969

Born 1918
Died March 28, 2007
Initiated Florence Lodge No. 390, Florence, 1946
Affiliated Pnyx Lodge No. 312, Wallaceburg, 1952
Affiliated Baldoon Lodge No. 694, Wallaceburg, 1958; W.M. 1963
Affiliated Centennial Lodge No. 684, London, 2005
Board of General Purposes 1973 – 1979

R.W. BRO. GODFREY THEODORE RECH
District Deputy Grand Master – 1983

Born 1922, Winnipeg, Manitoba
Died November 11, 2006
Initiated Charleswood Lodge No. 184, Winnipeg, 1966
Affiliated Markham Union Lodge No. 87, Stouffville, 1967; W.M. 1980

R.W. BRO. DAVID REDFERN
District Deputy Grand Master – 1992

Born October 18, 1940
Died February 26, 2007
Initiated Stratford Lodge No. 332, Stratford, 1982; W.M. 1990
Affiliated St. James Lodge No. 73, St. Mary's, 1989

R.W. BRO. JAMES WILLIAM REID
District Deputy Grand Master – 1991

Born February 19, 1934
Died December 3, 2006
Initiated Barton Lodge No. 6, Hamilton, 1962; W.M. 1972
Grand Representative – Grand Lodge of Germany

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R.W. BRO. JOHN G. RICE
District Deputy Grand Master – 1955

Born 1915
Died January 3, 2007
Initiated Burns' Lodge No. 153, Wyoming, 1946; W.M. 1951

R.W. BRO. FRANCIS JAMES ROBERTSON
District Deputy Grand Master – 1999

Born September 4, 1946, Scotland
Died November 28, 2006
Initiated Porcupine Lodge No. 506, Timmins, 1970; W.M. 1985

R.W. BRO. MICHAEL ROGOZYNSKI
District Deputy Grand Master – 1993

Born 1930
Died April 1, 2007
Initiated Abitibi Lodge No. 540, Iroquois Falls, 1956; W.M. 1972, 1995

R.W. BRO. DAVID ALFRED SALTER
District Deputy Grand Master – 2001

Born September 17, 1948, Stratford, Ontario
Died March 38, 2007
Initiated National Lodge No. 588, Capreol, 1977; W.M. 1983
Affiliated Millennium Lodge No. 743, Toronto, 2000
Affiliated Heritage Lodge No. 730, Cambridge, 2002

R.W. BRO. FRANKLIN BLAIR SMALL
District Deputy Grand Master – 1982

Born 1918
Died October 17, 2006
Initiated St. Paul's Lodge No. 107, Lambeth, 1957; W.M. 1976
Affiliated Heritage Lodge No. 730, Cambridge, 1981

R.W. BRO. AUBREY ERROLL SMALLER
District Deputy Grand Master – 1997

Born November 25, 1943
Died July 20, 2006
Initiated Caledonia Lodge No. 637, Toronto, 1985; W.M. 1992
Affiliated Quinte St. Alban's Lodge No. 620, Thornhill, 1993
Affiliated Orient Lodge No. 339, Toronto, 1995, W.M. 1997
Affiliated Heritage Lodge No. 730, Cambridge, 1998
Affiliated St. Clair Lodge No. 135, Milton, 2004

R.W. BRO. JAMES McQUEEN TARLING
District Deputy Grand Master – 1974

Born 1921
Died February 15, 2007
Initiated Kempenfeldt Lodge No. 673, Barrie, 1959
Affiliated Lakehead Lodge No. 709, Thunder Bay, 1963; W.M. 1967

R.W. BRO. ROBERT SHELDON THROOP
Grand Senior Warden – 1973

Born 1922
Died June 10, 2007
Initiated Harmony Lodge No. 370, Philipsville, 1946
Affiliated Temple Lodge No. 665, Ottawa, 1957; W.M. 1963
Affiliated Temple Lodge No. 666, Belleville, 1965
Affiliated Temple Lodge No. 649, Oshawa, 1977
Affiliated Heritage Lodge No. 730, Cambridge, 1977; W.M. 1987
Affiliated Simpson Lodge No. 157, Newboro, 1984
Board of General Purposes – 1979 - 1987
Grand Representative – Grand Lodge of Spain

R.W. BRO. KEITH FREDERICK TUDOR
Grand Chaplain – 1979

Born November 24, 1914
Died June 26, 2007
Initiated Manitoba Lodge No. 236, Cookstown, 1949
Affiliated Peel Lodge No. 468, Caledon East, 1960; W.M. 1966
Affiliated Guelph Lodge No. 258, Guelph, 1978
Affiliated Royal City Daylight Lodge No. 742, Guelph, 2002

R.W. BRO. MURREL HOWARD WALKER
District Deputy Grand Master – 1979

Born 1918, Listowel, Ontario

Died April 15, 2007

Initiated Bernard Lodge No. 225, Listowel, 1952; W.M. 1962

R.W. BRO. MURRAY JACK WENZEL
District Deputy Grand Master – 1979

Born December 13, 1925

Died June 12, 2007

Initiated Havelock Lodge No. 435, Havelock, 1963; W.M. 1971

R.W. BRO. ALBERT CARMAN WHITMORE
District Deputy Grand Master – 1960

Born February 23, 1923

Died November 17, 2006

Initiated St. John's Lodge No. 209a, London, 1946; W.M. 1953

V.W. BRO. WILFRED GORDON AGAR
Grand Steward – 1961

Born 1908, Chatham, Ontario

Died December 21, 2006

Initiated Wellington Lodge No. 46, Chatham, 1939

Affiliated Prince of Wales Lodge No. 171, Iona Station, 1944; W.M. 1950

V.W. BRO. LEONARD E. ANDREWS
Grand Steward – 1979

Born 1920

Died August 3, 2006

Initiated Campbell Lodge No. 603, Campbellville, 1957; W.M. 1975, 1976

Affiliated Heritage Lodge No. 730, Cambridge, 1981

V.W. BRO. EARLE MARVIN ARMSTRONG
Grand Steward – 1984

Born 1921

Died July 23, 2006

Initiated Tuscan Lodge No. 437, Sarnia, 1970; W.M. 1975

V.W. BRO. BYRON ELDRIDGE BRIDGES
Grand Steward – 2001

Born 1919

Died August 12, 2006

Initiated Jerusalem Lodge No. 31, Bowmanville, 1968; W.M. 1975

Affiliated Millennium Lodge No. 743, Toronto, 2000

V.W. BRO. WILLIAM EARL BUNKE
Grand Steward – 2003

Born 1959

Died August 26, 2006

Initiated Pembroke Lodge No. 128, Pembroke, 1984; W.M. 1997

V.W. BRO. WILLIAM ALBERT BUSHELL
Grand Steward – 1991

Born 1916

Died June 10, 2007

Initiated Anthony Sayer Lodge No. 640, Toronto, 1949; W.M. 1980

V.W. BRO. GEORGE SAMUEL CAMERON
Assistant Grand Chaplain – 1995

Born 1915

Died January 6, 2007

Initiated North Star Lodge No. 322, Owen Sound, 1946; W.M. 1958

V.W. BRO. PETER CHRISTIE
Assistant Grand Chaplain – 2003

Born October 27, 1931

Died November 24, 2006

Initiated St. Cougan Lodge No. 922, Scotland, 1952

Affiliated Huron-Bruce Lodge No. 611, Toronto, 1954

Affiliated Victory Lodge No. 547, Toronto, 1999; W.M. 2001

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V.W. BRO. DALE WARREN CLARKE
Grand Superintendent of Works – 1982

Born April 4, 1930, Bellrock, Ontario

Died July 21, 2006

Initiated Union Lodge No. 9, Napanee, 1968; W.M. 1977

Affiliated Simpson Lodge No. 157, Newboro, 1983

Affiliated Limestone Daylight Lodge No. 739, Harrowsmith, 1988; W.M. 1994

V.W. BRO. GORDON FREDERICK CLARK
Grand Steward – 2003

Born December 28, 1933

Died June 19, 2007

Initiated Dalhousie Lodge No. 52, Ottawa, 1967; W.M. 1988

V.W. BRO. ALLAN JUSTUS COHOE
Grand Steward – 1989

Born 1911, Burgessville, Ontario

Died March 3, 2007

Initiated North Bay Lodge No. 617, North Bay, 1949

Affiliated Queen's Lodge No. 578, Kingston, 1964; W.M. 1974

Affiliated Heritage Lodge No. 730, Cambridge, 1977

Affiliated Limestone Daylight Lodge No. 739, Harrowsmith, 1988

V.W. BRO. WILLIAM JAMES COWAN
Grand Steward – 1974

Born 1923

Died March 6, 2007

Initiated Waverley Lodge No. 361, Guelph, 1956; W.M. 1972

V.W. BRO. GEORGE LESLIE CURTIS
Grand Steward – 1979

Born June 13, 1917, Vienna, Ontario

Died July 9, 2007

Initiated Union Lodge No. 7, Grimsby, 1942

Affiliated Dominion Lodge No. 615, Ridgeway, 1970; W.M. 1976

Affiliated Phoenix Lodge No. 535, Fonthill, 1984; W.M. 1991

V.W. BRO. CHARLES WESLEY LYLE EGGETT
Grand Steward – 1982

Born 1929, London, Ontario

Died February 17, 2007

Initiated Doric Lodge No. 316, Thornhill, 1950

Affiliated Connaught Lodge No. 501, Etobicoke, 1954; W.M. 1962

V.W. BRO. RONALD EDWIN FREDERICK
Grand Steward – 1978

Born 1917, Powassan, Ontario

Died April 19, 2007

Initiated Powassan Lodge No. 443, Powassan, 1943; W.M. 1967

V.W. BRO. GERALD PATTERSON GIBSON
Grand Steward – 1985

Born 1918, Saskatchewan

Died January 24, 2007

Initiated St. John's Lodge No. 284, Brussels, 1943; W.M. 1947

V.W. BRO. GEORGE BORIS GIBSON
Grand Steward – 1985

Born 1912

Died August 22, 2006

Initiated Oakwood Lodge No. 553, Toronto, 1957; W.M. 1967

Affiliated Wardrobe Lodge No. 555, Hamilton, 1997

V.W. BRO. WILLIAM HENRY GODBY
Grand Pursivant – 1984

Born January 14, 1945, North Walsingham Twp Ontario

Died December 30, 2006

Initiated Walsingham Lodge No. 174, Port Rowan, 1971; W.M. 1980, 1992

V.W. BRO. HARRY FREDERICK GUDGEON
Grand Steward – 1986

Born March 24, 1925, London, England
Died July 1, 2006
Initiated Corinthian Lodge No. 513, Hamilton, 1963; W.M. 1975

V.W. BRO. PHILLIP ROY GUSTAR
Grand Steward – 1995

Born 1929
Died January 5, 2007
Initiated Hope Lodge No. 114, Port Hope, 1953; W.M. 1947, 1960

V.W. BRO. JOSEPH GRANT HALL
Grand Steward – 1974

Born July 7, 1920
Died December 15, 2006
Initiated Sharon Lodge No. 97, Queensville, 1954; W.M. 1968

V.W. BRO. WILLIAM EDWARD HENRY
Grand Steward – 1992

Born November 24, 1923, Clarkson, Ontario
Died May 6, 2007
Initiated South Gate Lodge No. 674, Port Credit, 1954; W.M. 1965

V.W. BRO. CHARLES A. HENSHAW
Grand Steward – 1975

Born January 1, 1916
Died December 12, 2006
Initiated Robertson Lodge No. 292, Aurora, 1949; W.M. 1961

V.W. BRO. KEITH GARFIELD HESSEL
Grand Steward – 1977

Born 1932, London, Ontario
Died April 26, 2007
Initiated Tuscan Lodge No. 195, London, 1962; W.M. 1970

V.W. BRO. CHARLES THOMAS HILL
Grand Steward – 1970

Born April 20, 1917, England
Died January 15, 2007
Initiated Windsor Lodge No. 403, Windsor, 1958; W.M. 1966
Affiliated Border Cities Lodge No. 554, Windsor, 1998

V.W. BRO. ROBERT CHARLES HOARD
Grand Steward – 1976

Born May 2, 1921
Died July 13, 2007
Initiated Stirling Lodge No. 69, Stirling, 1949; W.M. 1969

V.W. BRO. DOUGLAS ALEXANDER HUTCHISON
Grand Steward – 1982

Born October 22, 1925, Scarborough, Ontario
Died April 14, 2007
Initiated Beaches Lodge No. 463, Scarborough, 1947
Affiliated Oakridge Lodge No. 708, London, 1962; W.M. 1968
Affiliated London Daylight Lodge No. 735, London, 1994

V.W. BRO. EWART B. JENNINGS
Grand Steward – 1981

Born 1924
Died December 24, 2006
Initiated Robertson Lodge No. 292, King City, 1946; W.M. 1956

V.W. BRO. HORACE ARNOLD JONES
Grand Steward – 1967

Born May 26, 1927, Iroquois Falls, Ontario
Died May 16, 2007
Initiated Abitibi Lodge No. 540, Cochrane, 1952; W.M. 1961
Affiliated Millennium Lodge No. 743, Toronto, 2001

GRAND LODGE OF CANADA ANNUAL COMMUNICATION

V.W. BRO. JOHN HERBERT KADWELL
Grand Steward – 1999

Born Date Unknown
Died November 11, 2006
Initiated Concord Lodge No. 722, Cambridge, 1979; W.M. 1986

V.W. BRO. COLIN LEITCH
Grand Steward – 1965

Born 1909, Glasgow, Scotland
Died December 11, 2006
Initiated Shamrock Lodge No. 533, Toronto, 1949; W.M. 1960

V.W. BRO. JAMES DANIEL MACNAUGHTAN
Grand Organist – 1966

Born November 8, 1919, Bracebridge, Ontario
Died November 4, 2006
Initiated Muskoka Lodge No. 360, Bracebridge, 1952; W.M. 1962

V.W. BRO. GEORGE KENNETH MANNEROW
Grand Standard Bearer – 1995

Born 1935
Died June 29, 2007
Initiated Forest Lodge No. 393, Chesley, 1961; W.M. 1968, 1973

V.W. BRO. DAVID ANTHONY MCNEIL
Grand Steward – 1975

Born March 26, 1921, Norwood, Ontario
Died November 23, 2006
Initiated Norwood Lodge No. 223, Norwood, 1946; W.M. 1954

V.W. BRO. CHARLES FRANKLIN MILLER
Grand Steward – 2000

Born April 13, 1922, London, Ontario
Died March 6, 2007
Initiated Union Lodge No. 380, London, 1963; W.M. 1971
Affiliated Millennium Lodge No. 743, Toronto, 2000

V.W. BRO. HILTON RALPH OUNSWORTH
Grand Steward – 1985

Born March 6, 1921
Died May 10, 2007
Initiated Crystal Fountain Lodge No. 389, North Augusta, 1953; W.M. 1961
Affiliated Nation Lodge No. 556, Spencerville, 1953

V.W. BRO. ROBERT D. PARSONS
Grand Steward – 1969

Born August 14, 1919
Died February 15, 2007
Initiated Wexford Lodge No. 683, Scarborough, 1957; W.M. 1965
Affiliated Centennial Lodge No. 684, London, 1976

V.W. BRO. CHARLES EDWARD PRATT
Grand Steward – 1994

Born 1927
Died November 19, 2006
Initiated St. Clair Lodge No. 425, Sombra, 1977; W.M. 1983, 1993

V.W. BRO. DONALD G. REEKIE
Assistant Grand Chaplain – 2005

Born 1946
Died March 27, 2007
Initiated Lorne Lodge No. 377, Shelburne, 1984; W.M. 1991, 1998
Affiliated Kerr Lodge No. 230, Barrie, 2002

V.W. BRO. WILLIAM EMERSON REID
Grand Steward – 1990

Born February 24, 1926, Brampton, Ontario
Died October 19, 2006
Initiated High Park Lodge No. 531, Thornhill, 1970; W.M. 1980

V.W. BRO. EDGAR BERNARD ROBINSON
Grand Steward – 1974

Born 1916

Died December 12, 2006

Initiated Northern Light Lodge No. 266, Stayner, 1941

Affiliated Lorne Lodge No. 377, Shelburne, 1948; W.M. 1954

V.W. BRO. KEITH SABINE
Grand Pursuivant – 1966

Born January 14, 1912

Died December 19, 2006

Initiated Wilson Lodge No. 86, Toronto, 1944; W.M. 1954

Affiliated Manito Lodge No. 90, Collingwood, 1995

V.W. BRO. WILLIAM EDWARD SERVICE
Grand Steward – 1979

Born 1926

Died December 24, 2006

Initiated Prince of Wales Lodge No. 371, Ottawa, 1950; W.M. 1959

V.W. BRO. DONALD THOMAS SIMPSON
Grand Steward – 1987

Born 1911

Died August 12, 2006

Initiated Inwood Lodge No. 503, Oil Springs, 1945; W.M. 1952

V.W. BRO. BROCK BERNARD SMITH
Grand Steward – 1983

Born May 9, 1921, Toronto, Ontario

Died January 21, 2007

Initiated Norfolk Lodge No. 10, Simcoe, 1950; W.M. 1960

V.W. BRO. ROBERT ALLEN SMITH
Grand Steward – 1980

Born 1919, Colborne, Ontario

Died April 1, 2007

Initiated Colborne Lodge No. 91, Colborne 1951; W.M. 1959

Affiliated St. John's Lodge No. 17, Cobourg, 1981; W.M. 1989

V.W. BRO. KEITH ROBERT STEVEN
Grand Steward – 1978

Born 1926

Died June 15, 2007

Initiated Avonmore Lodge No. 452, Monkland, 1947; W.M. 1958

Affiliated St. Thomas Lodge No. 44, St. Thomas, 1972

V.W. BRO. REGINALD MARSHALL STEVENS
Grand Steward – 1983

Born 1918

Died October 31, 2006

Initiated St. John's Lodge No. 40, Hamilton, 1951; W.M. 1963, 1983

V.W. BRO. JAMES SWATRIDGE
Grand Steward – 1967

Born September 13, 1916

Died September 4, 2006

Initiated Stratford Lodge No. 332, Stratford, 1938; W.M. 1958

V.W. BRO. BENITO TEDESCO
Grand Steward – 1997

Born March 24, 1928, Cochrane, Ontario

Died January 17, 2007

Initiated Cochrane Lodge No. 530, Cochrane, 1974; W.M. 1991

V.W. BRO. MORLEY EDMUND TESKEY
Grand Steward – 1990

Born July 4, 1915

Died May 30, 2007

Initiated St. Andrew's Lodge No. 62, Caledonia, 1947; W.M. 1986

V.W. BRO. OLIVER EDWIN THRASHER
 Grand Steward – 1962

Born May 21, 1927, Amherstburg, Ontario
 Died August 3, 2006
 Initiated Thistle Lodge No. 34, Amherstburg, 1949; W.M. 1958
 Affiliated King Edward Lodge No. 488, Harrow, 1976

V.W. BRO. JOHN RENDAL TODD
 Grand Steward – 1976

Born 1927, Tillsonburg, Ontario
 Died January 16, 2007
 Initiated Oriental Lodge No. 181, Port Burwell, 1948; W.M. 1983
 Affiliated Ashlar Lodge No. 701, Tillsonburg, 1959; W.M. 1971

V.W. BRO. EDWARD ALLAN VICKERS
 Grand Steward – 1990

Born 1921, Toronto, Ontario
 Died August 7, 2006
 Initiated Victory Lodge No. 547, Toronto, 1968; W.M. 1977, 1982, 1987, 1991, 1992
 Affiliated Dufferin Daylight Lodge No. 1990, Thornhill, 1990
 Affiliated Tuscan Lodge No. 541, Toronto, 2002

V.W. BRO. WILFRED CHARLES WEAVER
 Grand Steward – 1982

Born 1928
 Died July 8, 2007
 Initiated Tavistock Lodge No. 609, Tavistock, 1958
 Affiliated Durham Lodge No. 306, Durham, 1969; W.M. 1978

V.W. BRO. ROLFE NELSON WEEKS
 Grand Sword Bearer – 1962

Born February 24, 1920
 Died August 1, 2006
 Initiated Ashlar Lodge No. 610, London, 1946; W.M. 1955

V.W. BRO. RICHARD JOHN WESTAWAY
 Grand Steward – 1989

Born 1915
 Died January 7, 2007
 Initiated Seymour Lodge No. 277, St. Catharines, 1955; W.M. 1964
 Affiliated Brant Lodge No. 663, Burlington, 1966
 Affiliated Wellington Square Lodge No. 725, Burlington, 1990

V.W. BRO. STUART B. WHITE
 Grand Steward – 1975

Born 1909, Petrolia, Ontario
 Died October 10, 2006
 Initiated Inwood Lodge No. 503, Oil Springs, 1950; W.M. 1969

V.W. BRO. JAMES BEATTY WILSON
 Grand Steward – 1983

Born 1919
 Died November 14, 2006
 Initiated Arkona Lodge No. 307, Arkona, 1942; W.M. 1952

V.W. BRO. JOHN WILSON
 Grand Steward – 1979

Born October 24, 1920, Scotland
 Died September 3, 2006
 Initiated St. George's Lodge No. 41, Kingsville, 1942; W.M. 1960

V.W. BRO. ROSS ERSKINE WILSON
 Grand Steward – 1984

Born May 27, 1918
 Died January 31, 2007
 Initiated Nilestown Lodge No. 345, Nilestown, 1961; W.M. 1972

V.W. BRO. STEWART TREVELYAN WOODLEY
Grand Steward – 1990

Born October 8, 1914
Died October 21, 2006
Initiated Brome Lake Lodge No. 38, Quebec
Affiliated St. Francis Lodge No. 24, Smith Falls, 1949; W.M. 1958
Affiliated Otter Lodge No. 504, Lombardy, 1977; W.M. 1982, 1983

WILLIAM MERCER WILSON MEDAL HOLDERS

BRO. JAMES KEITH ANDERSON

Born October 1, 1924
Died July 6, 2007
Initiated Chaudiere Lodge No. 264, Ottawa, 1959
Received medal in 1995

BRO. ROBERT CHRISTOPHER JONES

Born 1915, Cobourg Ontario
Died September 5, 2006
Initiated Eureka Lodge No. 283, Belleville, 1948
Received medal in 1989

BRO. LEONARD SNIDER

Born 1913
Died May 12, 2007
Initiated Waterloo Lodge No. 539, Waterloo, 1946
Affiliated Brotherhood Lodge No. 723, Waterloo, 1972
Received medal in 1989

RECEPTION OF GRAND REPRESENTATIVES

As the Grand Secretary called the roll of Grand Representatives of their Grand Lodges, those who were present stood and were welcomed by the Grand Master. Grand Honours were given under the direction of the Grand Director of Ceremonies.

MERITORIOUS SERVICE AWARD

R.W. Bro. Robert E. Kerr and R.W. Bro. Thomas E. Lewis were presented in the East by the Grand Director of Ceremonies to receive at the hand of M.W. Bro. Gary L. Atkinson the Meritorious Service Award as a tribute to their exceptional devotion, loyalty and zeal in both Masonic and community circles.

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Auditors' Report

To the Most Worshipful Grand Master,
Officers and Members of Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of
Canada in the Province of Ontario

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

We have audited the statements of financial position of Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario as at April 30, 2007, and the statements of operations and fund balances for the general and segregated funds for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the organization's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we plan and perform an audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statement. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation.

In our opinion, these financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the organization as at April 30, 2007 and the results of its operations for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles.



Hamilton, Ontario
June 1, 2007

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On motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. T. R. Davies, the Auditor's Report was adopted.

**Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada
In the Province of Ontario
Statement of Financial Position**

Year Ended April 30

2007

2006

	General Fund	Segregated Funds	Total	Total
Assets				
Current				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 101,771	\$ 104,783	\$ 206,554	\$ 235,926
Accrued interest receivable	13,250	22,382	35,632	37,099
Accrued dues	155,145	-	155,145	126,232
Receivables - dues and books	29,709	1,300	31,009	29,730
Receivable from Special Programme Fund	652	(652)	-	-
Prepays	4,379	-	4,379	5,767
	304,906	127,813	432,719	434,754
Investments (market value \$4,333,272; 2006 - \$4,210,326)	1,740,109	2,379,284	4,119,393	3,978,030
Notes receivable (Note 3)	45,000	-	45,000	50,000
	\$ 2,090,015	\$ 2,507,097	\$ 4,597,112	\$ 4,462,784
Liabilities				
Current				
Payables and accruals	\$ 42,692	\$ 901	\$ 43,593	\$ 46,013
Fund Balance				
Special Programme Fund	-	184,846	184,846	181,998
Segregated Fund Balances	-	2,321,350	2,321,350	2,257,796
General Fund	2,047,323	-	2,047,323	1,976,977
	2,047,323	2,506,196	4,553,519	4,416,771
	\$ 2,090,015	\$ 2,507,097	\$ 4,597,112	\$ 4,462,784

APPROVED BY:

"T. Richard Davies" Grand Treasurer

"T. Shand" Grand Secretary

See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

**Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada
In the Province of Ontario
Statements of Operations and Fund Balance**

Year Ended April 30	2007	2006
Revenue		
Fees and dues	\$ 479,448	\$ 382,705
Commutation fees allocated from		
Commutation Fund	45,000	60,000
Commutations	18,150	24,550
Investment income	181,710	169,666
Gain on sale of investments	116,927	63,840
Bequests and donations	300	1,100
Sale of		
150 th Anniversary sales	-	26,847
Address labels and calendars	91,566	97,163
Books and buttons	73,663	65,487
Video sales	1,020	793
Advertising - Ontario Mason	8,310	9,620
Management fees from		
Memorial Fund	12,000	11,000
Masonic Holdings (Note 7)	8,000	6,000
Special Programme Fund	10,988	11,660
	1,047,082	930,431
Less: interfund fees	(67,988)	(82,660)
	<u>979,094</u>	<u>847,771</u>
Expenses		
Administrative - General Fund (Page 5)	665,537	591,094
Commutation fees allocated from		
Commutation Fund	45,000	60,000
Programme expenses	55,560	54,683
Address labels and calendars	37,340	35,993
Investment management fee – Segregated Funds	16,829	16,955
Benevolent grants	62,500	88,120
Benevolent booklets	2,930	-
Pension	1,650	1,650
150 th Anniversary expenses	-	98,880
Management fee to General Fund	22,988	22,660
	910,334	970,035
Less: interfund fees	(67,988)	(82,660)
	<u>842,346</u>	<u>887,375</u>
Excess (deficiency) of revenue over expenses	\$ 136,748	\$ (39,604)
Fund balance, beginning of year	\$ 4,416,771	\$ 4,456,375
Excess (deficiency) of revenue over expenses	<u>136,748</u>	<u>(39,604)</u>
Fund balance, end of year	<u>\$ 4,553,519</u>	<u>\$ 4,416,771</u>

See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

**Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada
In the Province of Ontario
Statements of Operations and Fund Balance –
General Fund**

Year Ended April 30

2007

2006

Revenue**Fees for**

Initiation	\$ 20,210	\$ 15,565
Affiliation	7,110	7,080
Dues	431,804	349,912
Certificates	3,345	2,720
Dispensations	7,022	6,846
Miscellaneous	<u>9,957</u>	<u>582</u>
	479,448	382,705

Commutation fees allocated from Commutation Fund	45,000	60,000
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Sale of

Books	64,280	53,747
Buttons, medals	9,383	11,740
Investment income		
General	70,630	66,401
Gain on sale of investments	36,154	34,230
Management fees from		
Memorial Fund	12,000	11,000
Masonic Holdings (Note 7)	8,000	6,000
Special Programme Fund	<u>10,988</u>	<u>11,660</u>
	735,883	637,483

Expenses (Page 5)	<u>665,537</u>	<u>585,436</u>
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Excess of revenue over expenses	<u>\$ 70,346</u>	<u>\$ 52,047</u>
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Fund balance, beginning of year	\$ 1,976,977	\$ 1,924,930
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Excess of revenue over expenses	<u>70,346</u>	<u>52,047</u>
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Fund balance, end of year	<u>\$ 2,047,323</u>	<u>\$ 1,976,977</u>
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See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

**Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada
In the Province of Ontario
Schedule of Expenses - General Fund**

Year Ended April 30

2007**2006**

Salaries and benefits - Grand Secretary	\$ 71,313	\$ 71,081
Salaries and benefits - Administrative Staff (Note 6)	202,745	192,797
Retiring allowance	15,000	-
Rent – office (Note 7)	77,000	77,000
Office and postage	36,263	31,351
Furniture and equipment	14,195	8,981
Grand Secretary's expenses	2,101	2,812
Insurance	9,907	9,929
Professional fees	18,000	23,000
Grand Master	15,000	10,000
Deputy Grand Master	6,000	5,000
Grand Chaplain	750	750
Grand Director of Ceremonies	1,200	1,000
Representative to other Grand Lodges	12,486	6,234
Representative to World Conference	5,636	-
Custodian of the work	2,890	3,144
Conference of Grand Masters of North America	5,646	4,971
Conference of Grand Secretaries of North America	2,988	3,185
Conference of Canadian Grand Lodges	2,856	4,654
Committee expenses (Note 4)	17,659	16,911
Buttons and medals for resale	12,815	6,143
Honorary presentations	2,312	2,755
Preliminary proceedings	2,382	1,179
Proceedings of Grand Lodge	8,527	9,910
Miscellaneous board	2,822	2,827
Grand Lodge meeting	54,503	62,132
Printing for resale	48,326	17,797
Investment management fee	12,049	12,400
Regalia	570	1,122
Miscellaneous	1,596	2,029
Transfer (from) to 150th Anniversary Reserve Fund	<u>-</u>	<u>(5,658)</u>
	<u>\$ 665,537</u>	<u>\$ 585,436</u>

See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

**Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada
In the Province of Ontario
Statements of Operations and Special
Programme Fund Balance**

Year Ended April 30

2007

2006

Programme Fund		
Revenue		
Calendars	\$ 91,566	\$ 97,163
Expenses		
Calendars	37,340	35,993
Management fee to General Fund	10,988	11,660
	48,328	47,653
Net Programme revenue	<u>43,238</u>	<u>49,510</u>
Programme expense		
Ontario Mason	26,011	23,089
Ontario Mason postage	21,545	24,863
Plowing match	4,613	4,886
Miscellaneous	153	47
Masonic education	971	-
Planning conference	1,050	-
Friend to Friend	474	248
Public relations – external communication	-	366
DDGM Orientation	-	121
Workshop equipment	-	230
Long Range Planning	42	158
Investment management fee	<u>701</u>	<u>675</u>
	<u>55,560</u>	<u>54,683</u>
Excess of expenses over revenues before other income	(12,322)	(5,173)
Other income (Note 5)	<u>15,170</u>	<u>21,352</u>
Excess of revenue over expenses	<u>\$ 2,848</u>	<u>\$ 16,179</u>
Fund balance, beginning of year	\$ 181,998	\$ 165,819
Excess of revenue over expenses	2,848	16,179
Fund balance, end of year	<u>\$ 184,846</u>	<u>\$ 181,998</u>

See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

**Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada
In the Province of Ontario
Statements of Segregated Operations and Fund Balances
Year Ended April 30**

	175th Anniversary Reserve Fund	Special Retirement Fund	Commutation Fund	Memorial Fund	Total 2007	Total 2006
Revenue						
Transfer (to) from Other Funds	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 18,150	\$ -	\$ 18,150	\$ (5,658)
Commutation fees						24,550
Investment income						
General	1,110	4,075	48,058	52,768	106,011	97,650
Gain on sale investments	-	474	36,073	43,455	80,002	24,288
Bequests and donations	-	-	-	300	300	1,100
150 th Anniversary sales	-	-	-	-	-	26,847
	<u>1,110</u>	<u>4,549</u>	<u>102,281</u>	<u>96,523</u>	<u>204,463</u>	<u>168,777</u>
Expenses						
Pension	-	1,650	-	-	1,650	1,650
150 th Anniversary expenses	-	-	-	-	-	98,880
Investment management fee	-	431	7,765	8,633	16,829	16,955
Benevolent grants	-	-	-	62,500	62,500	88,120
Benevolent books	-	-	-	2,980	2,930	-
Management fee to General Fund	-	-	-	12,000	12,000	11,000
Commutation fees allocated to General Fund	-	-	45,000	-	45,000	60,000
	<u>1,110</u>	<u>2,081</u>	<u>52,765</u>	<u>86,063</u>	<u>140,909</u>	<u>276,605</u>
Excess (deficiency) of revenue over expenses	\$ 1,110	\$ 2,468	\$ 49,516	\$ 10,460	\$ 63,554	\$ (107,828)
Fund balance, beginning of year	\$ 34,999	\$ 75,231	\$ 1,008,663	\$ 1,138,903	\$ 2,257,798	\$ 2,385,624
Excess (deficiency) revenue over expenses	<u>1,110</u>	<u>2,468</u>	<u>49,516</u>	<u>10,460</u>	<u>63,554</u>	<u>(107,828)</u>
Fund balance, end of year	<u>\$ 38,109</u>	<u>\$ 77,699</u>	<u>\$ 1,058,179</u>	<u>\$ 1,149,363</u>	<u>\$ 2,321,350</u>	<u>\$ 2,257,796</u>

See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada In the Province of Ontario

Notes to the Financial Statements

April 30, 2007

1. Purpose of the organization

The Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario is a not for profit organization which serves as the central administrative body for Masonic Lodges in the Province of Ontario.

The organization is exempt from income tax under the Income Tax Act.

2. Summary of significant accounting policies

Fund accounting

The Grand Lodge A.F. and A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario follows the restricted fund method of accounting for contributions.

The General Fund reports the organization's administrative activities.

Revenues and expenses related to programme activities are reported only in The Programme Fund.

Revenues and expenses related to the 150th Anniversary Fund, Special Retirement Fund, Commutation Fund and Memorial Fund are consolidated and reported in the Segregated Fund.

Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand, balances held with banks, and highly liquid temporary money market investments with original maturities of three months or less from the date of the acquisition. Bank borrowings are considered to be financing activities.

Investments

Investments are recorded at cost less write-downs when any decline in value is considered to be other than temporary. Discounts and premiums on the acquisition of bonds are not amortized, but are maintained at cost with the final gain or loss recorded on disposition.

Revenue recognition

Restricted contributions related to general operations are recognized as revenue of the General Fund in the year in which the related expenses are incurred. All other restricted contributions are recognized as revenue of the appropriate restricted fund.

Unrestricted contributions are recognized as revenue of the General Fund in the year received or receivable if the amount to be received can be reasonably estimated and collection is reasonably assured.

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2. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

Foreign currency translation

Transactions denominated in foreign currencies are recorded in the accounts of the organization at the rate of exchange prevailing during the date of the transaction. At year end, monetary assets and liabilities denominated in a foreign currency are translated into Canadian dollars at year end rates of exchange.

Financial Instruments

For cash and cash equivalents receivables and payables and accruals, the carrying amounts of these financial instruments approximates their fair value due to their short term maturity or capacity of prompt liquidation. For the investments, fair values are disclosed in the consolidated statement of financial position.

The financial risk is the risk to the organization's earnings that arises from fluctuations in interest rates and the degree of volatility of these rates. The organization does not use derivative instruments to reduce its exposure to interest rate.

Unless otherwise noted, it is management's opinion that the organization is not exposed to significant interest, currency, or credit risks arising from these financial instruments.

Use of estimates

In preparing the organization's financial statements, management is required to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the period. Actual results could differ from these estimates.

3. Notes receivable - Masonic Holdings	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>
6% debentures - Series A	\$ <u>45,000</u>	\$ <u>50,000</u>

The debentures are receivable on demand.

The notes receivable are not expected to be repaid within the next fiscal year.

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4. Committee expenses - General Fund	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>
Constitution and Jurisprudence	\$ -	\$ 58
Seminars and workshops at Grand Lodge	30	-
Discipline	40	177
Masonic education	29	630
Library — rent (Note 7)	3,000	3,300
— general	116	62
Benevolence	195	326
Blood donors	760	149
DDGM Orientation	389	527
Computer resources	1,365	1,330
Friend to Friend	933	538
Communications	447	-
Management committee	428	226
Long range planning	83	-
Public relations - internal	238	548
Public relations - external	-	24
Fraternal reviews	750	750
Special discretionary	1,662	398
Audit and finance	194	168
Museum rent (Note 7)	<u>7,000</u>	<u>7,700</u>
	<u>\$ 17,659</u>	<u>\$ 16,911</u>

5. Other income - Special Programme Fund	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>
Investment income	\$ 5,069	\$ 5,617
Gain (loss) on sale of investments	771	5,322
Advertising - Ontario Mason	8,310	9,620
Video sales	<u>1,020</u>	<u>793</u>
	<u>\$ 15,170</u>	<u>\$ 21,352</u>

6. Defined contribution pension plan

The organization operates a defined contribution pension plan for its employees. The assets of the plan are held separately from those of the organization in independently administered funds. Contributions paid and expensed by the organization for the year amounted to \$10,934 (2006 - \$10,893) respectively. This expense is recorded in salaries and benefits within the schedule of expenses - General Fund.

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7. Related party transactions

During the year the Grand Lodge paid total rent to Masonic Holdings in the amount of \$87,000 (2006 - \$88,000) and management fees in the amount of \$8,000 (2006 - \$6,000). These transactions are in the normal course of operations and are measured at the exchange amount which is the amount of consideration established and agreed to by the related parties. Masonic Holdings is a not for profit organization whose board of directors are members of the Board of General Purposes of Grand Lodge.

Rent paid to Masonic Holdings consists of the following:

	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>
Office rent – General Fund (Page 5)	\$ 77,000	\$ 77,000
Museum rent – General Fund (Page 10)	7,000	7,700
Library rent – General Fund (Page 10)	3,000	3,300
	<u>\$ 87,000</u>	<u>\$ 88,000</u>

8. Related entities

The Board of Directors of both The Masonic Foundation of Ontario and Masonic Holdings consists of members of The Grand Lodge A.F. and A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

The object of The Masonic Foundation of Ontario is to receive, maintain, manage, control and use donations exclusively for charitable purposes within Ontario. The Foundation is permitted to use its donations for the relief of poverty, the advancement of education and the advancement of other purposes beneficial to the community. The Foundation is committed to funding bursaries, hearing research, drug and substance abuse education in the school systems and other specific and community projects which fall within its guidelines.

Title to the land and building, situated at 363 King Street West, Hamilton, Ontario was taken in the name of Masonic Holdings Inc., an entity incorporated as a not for profit corporation within the meaning of the Income Tax Act (Canada) and without share capital. Masonic Holdings Inc. was incorporated in 1957 to acquire and operate adequate premises for the administration, personnel and staff of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario. As an incorporated entity it requires a separate auditors report and financial statements.

9. Statement of cash flows

A statement of cash flows has not been included since, in the opinion of the organization's management, it would not provide any additional meaningful information and cash flows from operating, investing and financing activities are readily apparent from the other financial statements.

REPORT OF THE GRAND TREASURER

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

I am pleased to present the Report of the Grand Treasurer again this year and to confirm the continuing satisfactory financial position of our Grand Lodge. Our revenues are up as a result of the Per Capita dues increase, expenses are managed within our budgetary limits and we are happy to confirm a year over year surplus in our General Fund resources. The Audit and Finance Committee will later be presenting a budget plan for the year ahead which contemplates a very satisfactory surplus. We continue to feel we must avoid budgetary deficits and obviously wish to avoid further Per Capita increases until a far distant time.

Our investment portfolio has been in the care of professional managers since 1990 and the performance during that period has been satisfactory. Our portfolio of investments was run down last year as we used the resources dedicated to the 150th Anniversary. Even so the market value of our total portfolio continues well over \$4 million of which the General Fund is presently close to \$1.8 million. Revenues from our investments have met our budgetary expectations of some \$95,000 towards the General Operating Funds of Grand Lodge.

My most frequent work on your behalf is related to the Audit and Finance and Benevolence Committees, each of which is chaired by experienced chairmen, respectively R.W. Bro. Thomas Lewis and David Bell. I also interact with the Management Committee through our Deputy R.W. Bro. Allan Petrisor and offer opinion on the various programs and plans of the Management Committee. I commend each of those chairmen for the financial responsibility attendant to the work of their respective committees.

Our Grand Lodge office is blessed with a group of exceptional people who give loyal and dedicated effort at all times. I wish to again express our sincere thanks for their dependable and ongoing support.

And finally, I express appreciation to the leadership of this Grand Lodge in the persons of our Grand Master, our Deputy Grand Master and Grand Secretary.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted.

T. RICHARD DAVIES
Grand Treasurer

On motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by the Grand Treasurer, the Report was adopted.

COMMITTEE OF SCRUTINEERS

The Grand Master appointed the auditing firm, ClearNeed Information Systems Inc., W. Bro. George Benton, to serve as scrutineers this year.

GRAND SECRETARY'S REPORT

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

It is my privilege to present this annual report for the year ended December 31, 2006, containing a recapitulation and a summary of all the long service lapel buttons awarded during the year.

MEMBERSHIP RECAPITULATION DECEMBER 31, 2006

Membership December 31, 2005	54,837
Initiated	1,380 +
Passed	979
Raised	843
Affiliated	376 +
Reinstated	106 +
Sub Total	56,699
Deaths	1,590 -
Resignations	962 -
Suspensions	679 -
Adjustments re membership checks	7 +
NET changes in membership in year	1,362 -
TOTAL MEMBERSHIP as of December 31, 2006	53,475
Total number of warranted lodges	588

GENERAL INFORMATION

	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>
Number of active memberships	54,827	53,513
Number of active members	50,484	49,273
Number of multiple membership holders	3,422	3,334
Number of commuted life memberships	8,771	8,315

BUTTONS AWARDED DURING 2006 CALENDAR YEAR

50's	616	50's Past Master	27
60's	161	60's Past Master	1
70's	6	50's P.D.D.G.M.	0
75's	2		

70 Years a Mason

George H. Graham, Clementi Lodge No. 313, Peterborough	Elmer Lewis, Erie Lodge No. 149, Port Dover
William E. Heighton, Macnab Lodge No. 169, Port Colborne	Robert M. McDowell, Washington Lodge No. 174, Port Rowan
Leonard A. Hewson, Reba Lodge No. 515, Brantford	Robert E. McKague, Percy Lodge No. 161, Warkworth

75 Years a Mason

Donald J. A. Wright, Beaver Lodge No. 83, Strathroy	Robert H. Wright, Valley Lodge No. 100, Dundas
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60 Years a Past Master

George H. Graham Clementi Lodge No. 313, Peterborough
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Printing and Publications

During the past year a number of pamphlets and brochures have been produced. Other publications have been updated and reprinted and include: The Masonic Manual, Meeting the Challenge, The Work, Ceremony of Installation and Investiture, a 2006 Question & Answer Supplement, and a Guide to Masonic Benevolence.

Computerization

The upgrade of computer hardware and software remains an ongoing process. Replacement of hardware to facilitate the Annual Communication registration and balloting became necessary. Software to upgrade office storage and filing data has been made and conversion is ongoing. An ever increasing volume of email transmission requests is occurring. The prevalence of Spam, together with server breakdowns, suggest it prudent for the sender to include a 'read receipt' to insure delivery of the message to its intended destination. Email messages should be identified by Lodge Name and Number in the subject line for easy identification.

Warrants

Two lodges ceased operations and surrendered their warrants: Otissippi Lodge No. 719, Sarnia, and Lorne Lodge No. 404, Tamworth. Additionally, several lodges deemed it necessary to amalgamate during the past year; still others have initiated the negotiation process.

York Lodge No. 156 amalgamated with Bedford Lodge No. 638, to become York Lodge No. 156; Zeta Lodge No. 410 with Shamrock Lodge No. 533, to become Zeta-Shamrock No. 410; Acacia Lodge No. 580 with St. Paul's Lodge No. 107, to become St. Paul's No. 107; Vaughan Lodge No. 54 with Mizpah Lodge No. 572, to become Maple Lodge No. 54; Cataraqui Lodge No. 92 with Royal Edward Lodge No. 585, to become Royal Edward of Cataraqui Lodge No. 92; Belleville Lodge No. 123 and Temple Lodge No. 666 to become Belleville-Temple Lodge No. 123; Harmony Lodge No. 438, Wilson Lodge No. 86, Zetland Lodge No. 326 and Occident Lodge No. 346, to become Zetland Wilson No. 86; Ashlar Lodge No. 247 and St. Clair Lodge No. 577, to become Ashlar St. Clair Lodge No. 247, Coronation Lodge No. 677 and Parkdale Lodge No. 510, to become Perfect Column Lodge No. 510.

Conferences

In December 2006 while attending the World Conference, held at Paris, France, I presented a committee paper on financial structure, received documentation concerning recognition from the Grand Lodge of Ukraine and met with a delegation from the Grand Lodge of Russia to discuss their administration issues.

In February 2007, I attended 'The Conference of Grand Secretaries in North America' held at Portland, Oregon. Some 18 presentations were made and included topics such as: "Grand Representative System," "One Day Classes," "Lodge Insurance Coverage," "Masonic Protocol via Email," "Bringing Annual Proceedings to Light at the Lodge Level," "Suspension for Non Payment of Dues" and "Working with Different Personalities."

Commission for Information on Recognition reports were received from: Bulgaria, Bosnia and Herzegovinia, Cyprus, Philippines, Russia and Serbia, together with four items of miscellaneous information.

In April 2007, I attended the "All Canada Conference" held at Winnipeg and chaired by our Grand Master. Several topics were discussed and break-out sessions of mutual concerns occurred. Included were presentations made by our Deputy Grand Master and myself.

Secretary Seminars

On November 16, 2006, thirty-six members from the Hamilton Districts attended at Hamilton, on November 18, 2006, twenty-six members of Victoria District attended at Lindsay, and on June 9, 2007, twenty members of Grey District attended at Mount Forest for a half-day seminar dealing with recent constitutional changes and a review of the responsibilities of Lodge Secretary relative to our Book of Constitution. These sessions provided an excellent forum for friendly interaction of ideas and information to address concerns and to overview the operations of our Grand Lodge office and its staff. A session has been arranged in June for Toronto Don Valley District at Scarborough. Secretary seminars in the coming year (2007-2008), if requested, can be arranged through the District Deputy Grand Master.

Semi Annual Returns

As of this writing, three Semi Annual Returns (July – December 2006) due January 8, 2007, have not been received at the Grand Lodge office. Subsequently, the July 8 return forms have not been mailed, negating the three principal officers an opportunity to vote at this Communication. A reminder . . . Section 300, Book of Constitution states, “Each lodge shall mail or otherwise deliver to the Grand Secretary, its returns and payments to Grand Lodge, semi-annually, on or before the 8th day of January and the 8th day of July each year.” Please consider this responsibility an important one.

Closing Remarks

Longstanding staff member Mrs. Dorothy Chalmers, retired March 31, 2007, following a ‘working lifetime’ of 50 plus years in the service of our Grand Lodge. We wish for her good health and much happiness to enjoy the fruits of her labour in the coming years.

The friendly and efficient office staff at Grand Lodge continue as dedicated team players, knowledgeable in office operations. They exhibit excellent deportment and a polite and pleasant manner in our day to day operations.

The cooperation and efficiency of Lodge Secretary plays an integral part in maintaining accuracy of Grand Lodge records. We again thank those who provide the necessary information and documentation in a correct and timely fashion. Your dedication to service of the lodge you represent is commendable and much appreciated.

To all those having dealings at the Grand Lodge office, our thanks for your cooperation as we endeavour to provide the essential services necessary.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted.

TERENCE SHAND, Grand Secretary

On motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by the Grand Secretary, the Report was adopted by Grand Lodge.

REPORTS OF THE DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS

Forty-four reports of the District Deputy Grand Masters were presented by the Grand Secretary, and, on motion of the Grand Secretary, seconded by W.M. Bro. R. E. Groshaw, they were referred to the Board of General Purposes.

REPORT OF THE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. A. J. Petrisor, Chairman, and on motion of R.W. Bro. Petrisor, seconded by R.W. Bro. D. G. Dowling, it was received.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

The Management Committee met on six occasions throughout the year addressing several requests and discussing issues.

Management:

- Printing of 5000 new and updated Benevolence pamphlets.
- The pamphlet "*Freemasonry, Is it for Me*" placed on the Grand Lodge Web site (with a link directly from the home page) for downloading upon demand.
- A \$15 charge for archival or genealogical searches prior to 1990 performed by Grand Lodge office staff.
- A review of Standing and Special Committees recommendations noted in the Proceedings was referred for remedial action where necessary.
- A perusal of the Grand Lodge main floor vault and basement records tasked the Computer Resources Committee with computerizing data currently stored on a card index system.
- Upon each revision of the *Book of Constitution*, two copies are to be sent to each lodge, to be charged on the Semi Annual Return.
- Publication of an *Ontario Mason* magazine, 2007 fall edition, hard copy is planned together with an E-Zine version.
- A new computer for the Grand Lodge Library with protected Internet access to replace a very outdated model.
- With the success of the 2006 International Plowing Match in Peterborough, a Grand Lodge presence is to be continued in 2007 at the I. P. M. in Athens. The Meet and Greet with the Grand Master is scheduled for Friday, September 21, 2007. In 2006, 91 people out of 2694 entering the daily draws in Peterborough had requested more information on Masonry and several have since made application to join.
- A new seminar, "The Role of the District Secretary" to be used in conjunction with D.D.G.M. Orientation evenings has been developed. Potential District Secretaries will now be invited to attend the orientation sessions.
- A request to develop a form of recognition for a Member of the Board once he becomes a Past Member of the Board of General Purposes was not endorsed.
- A "Skills Inventory Survey" was returned to the Leadership Development Committee for further review. Its use was intended to identify skills of those being nominated to the Board of General Purposes.

The Condition of Masonry report was reviewed and discussed. It identified 123 lodges in 26 districts indicating:

- No use of Grand Lodge Programmes such as Friend to Friend or Mentor,
- Poor financial status,
- No budget process,
- No Long Range plan.

This report was then referred by the Deputy Grand Master to the Grand Lodge Chairmen of the committees involved and to the D.D.G.M.s of the districts where the lodges were situated for follow up to find out if, in fact, the lodges were solid viable lodges. In most it was deemed that misinterpretation of the questions on the reporting form might have led to misunderstanding. There was also the suggestion that perhaps:

- Lodges don't know how to use the programmes available,
- Don't want to use the programmes,
- Their environment won't allow them to do so.

The report of the one-day Think Tank, "Building a Brighter Tomorrow" was received from the Long Range Planning Chairman along with several recommendations which were referred to all members of the Board of General Purposes for further review.

Several issues were tabled with no decisions, such as:

- William Mercer Wilson medal recipients are now eligible to wear a White collar the size of an Officer's collar. It is appropriate that the medal continue to be worn in the lapel pocket. A Blue Officer's collar was deemed unacceptable as it would not identify a recipient.
- A Past Grand Lodge Officer familiar with the Constitution of Grand Lodge has been assigned to develop a user-friendly index.
- A Past Grand Master corresponded concerning issues such as: the Role of P.G.M.s, Management Committee, Public Relations, Lodge Buildings, Benevolence, Summons, Bursaries and other suggestions which were dealt with and referred to the appropriate committees. A response from the chairman thanked the Past Grand Master for his continued interest in the welfare of the Craft and its management advising that several items have been taken under advisement.
- Discussion ensued concerning the unwritten rules insofar as those seeking Grand Lodge office as, the Grand Senior Warden, the Grand Junior Warden, and the Grand Registrar. Further, it is apparently expected that one who has served a term as a Grand Lodge Officer should take a one-year sabbatical before seeking nomination to the Board of General Purposes in his second year out of office.
- A Grand Lodge Heritage Research Lodge liaison person has been appointed to Brock University in connection with the Sankey Library endowment given in the fall of 2006.

R.W. Bro. Thomas Lewis, Chairman, Audit and Finance and ex-officio member of the Management Committee, after many years as a valued member of the Board of General Purposes, has tendered his resignation for personal reasons. His work as Audit and Finance Chairman has been unequivocally unequalled and his collaboration with our Grand Treasurer benefited our Grand Lodge with their wise and careful counsel. As a result, our finances are in good shape and our membership dues remain the most reasonable of any jurisdiction. On behalf of the members of Management and the whole Craft, I wish you health and happiness in your retirement.

All of which is respectfully submitted on behalf of the following committee members: M.W. Bro. G. L. Atkinson, Grand Master, R.W. Bros. D. A. Campbell, D. G. Dowling, T. W. Hogeboom, T. A. McLean, D. M. Sheen, T. E. Lewis, Chairman, Audit and Finance, and by invitation, R.W. Bro. T. R. Davies, Grand Treasurer. I offer my sincere thanks to M.W. Bro. T. Shand, Grand Secretary, for so capably recording and distributing the minutes and giving assistance where necessary.

ALLAN J. PETRISOR, Chairman

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTION AND JURISPRUDENCE

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. F. Halpern, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Halpern, it was adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

Your committee has received the following eight (9) Notices of Motion for consideration.

1. The first proposal deals with membership.

The proposal suggests amending Section 187 (a) and (b) to read as follows:

187. (a) Any brother who has rendered outstanding service to the Craft in general, or to any particular lodge, may, by a three-fourths vote by ballot of the members present, be elected an honorary life member thereof, and with exemption from lodge dues, provided prior notice of motion to confer such honorary life membership has been given and published in the lodge summons.

187. (b) If an honorary life membership is granted, then the same terms must be applied with respect to the commutation of dues and for payment into the life membership trust fund as exist for life memberships in accordance with Section 185 and the regulations governing life membership trust funds.

(Refer to Part VIII - Regulations)

Your committee finds this proposal irregular.

2. The second proposal also deals with membership.

The proposal suggests amending Section 188. (a) and (b) to read as follows:

188. (a) The funds received by the lodge to acquire a life membership, or set aside by the lodge to grant an honorary life membership, together with any monies already held by the lodge on account of existing life memberships, shall be kept separate and apart from the general funds of the lodge in a trust fund.

188. (b) Life memberships and honorary life memberships shall be calculated and monies may be withdrawn from the Life Membership Trust Fund in accordance with formulae as set out in Regulations approved by the Board of General Purposes from time to time.

(Refer to Part VIII- Regulations)

Your committee finds this proposal irregular.

3. The third proposal deals with suspension within a lodge.

The proposal suggests amending Section 210 to read as follows:

The current Section 210 be re-numbered Section 210. (a) and a new Section 210. (b) be added to read:

210. (b) Restoration in the lodge from which a member was originally suspended, under the jurisdiction of this Grand Lodge or any Grand Lodge recognized by this Grand Lodge automatically results in restoration in all lodges under the jurisdiction of this Grand Lodge from which the member was reciprocally suspended.

Your committee finds this proposal regular.

4. The fourth proposal deals with the processing of an Applicant for Initiation.

This proposal suggests amending Section 318 to read as follows:

318. Each application, having been read in open lodge, shall be referred to a committee of inquiry of 3 or more Master Masons appointed by the Master, none of whom shall have proposed or seconded the application. The committee shall inquire into the character and qualifications of the applicant, and shall report in writing thereon to the lodge at its next regular meeting, held after the lapse of not less than four weeks, or as soon as possible thereafter. The make-up of the committee members, and the joint report in writing of the committee shall be read in open lodge and the report filed with the Secretary.

Your committee finds this proposal irregular.

5. The fifth proposal deals with the issuing of a Certificate of Severance.

This proposal suggests amending Section 410.1 (a) to read as follows:

410.1 (a) A member against whom a charge of unmasonic conduct is pending or proceedings are ongoing pursuant to Part IV of the Constitution may, at any stage of the proceeding, make a request in writing including an acknowledgment that he is bound by Section 425 (b) relating to Restoration after Suspension and without giving reasons, addressed to the Secretary of the lodge in which the charge is pending or the proceeding is ongoing, that a Certificate of Severance be issued to him. Upon the receipt of the request, the Secretary shall forthwith transmit the request to the Grand Secretary. The Grand Secretary shall, upon receipt of the request and upon written direction from the Chairman of the Committee on Discipline, issue a Certificate of Severance in a form prescribed by Grand Lodge.

Your committee finds this proposal regular.

6. The sixth proposal deals with the Powers and Duties of the Constitution and Jurisprudence Committee as stated in Section 136. (d) of the Book of Constitution.

The proposal suggests amending paragraph 2 of Section 136. (d) to read as follows:

To consider the regularity of proposed amendments to the Constitution of Grand Lodge and issue written communication of the decision and rationale to the brother proposing the amendment within two weeks of the ruling.

Your committee finds this proposal irregular.

7. The seventh proposal deals with the Serving of Documents.

The proposal suggests amending Section 418. (a) and 418. (b) to read as follows:

Section 418. (a) If the residence of the brother is known, and he resides within a forty kilometer radius of his lodge, he shall be served personally;

Section 418. (b) If the residence of the brother is unknown or he resides outside a forty kilometer radius of his lodge or for any other reason he cannot be served personally, he may be served by sending the document by prepaid first class mail addressed to him at his last known address.

Your committee finds this proposal regular.

8. The eighth proposal deals with Awards and Recognition of Service. The proposed amendment shall read as follows:

The current Part IX – Index be re-numbered as Part X – Index and a new Part IX –

Awards and Recognition of Service be added as follows:

1. A lodge secretary who pays the required fees may obtain for presentation to qualified brethren:
 - a. A 25 year membership in the Craft lapel pin
 - b. A 25 year a Past Master lapel pin
2. Upon application, the Grand Secretary shall issue the applicable lapel pin and certificate with the seal of Grand Lodge attached, once the following conditions have been attained for the applicant:
 - a. 50 years of membership in the Craft
 - b. 60 years of membership in the Craft
 - c. 70 years of membership in the Craft
 - d. 75 years of membership in the Craft
 - e. 50 years a Past Master
 - f. 60 years a Past Master
 - g. 50 years a Past District Deputy Grand Master
3. Upon application and payment of the required fees the Grand Secretary shall issue a Veteran Jubilee Medal for completion of 50 years as a member of the Craft. Attachments recognizing 60, 70 and 75 years shall be issued by the Grand Secretary upon application and payment of the required fees.
4. The Grand Master at his discretion may present a Meritorious Service Award to a brother at the Annual Communication of Grand Lodge.
5. The Grand Master shall appoint, from among the Past Grand Masters, an Awards Committee to review applications for a brother who has attained the rank of Master Mason and who is not a Past Master, to be considered as a recipient for the William Mercer Wilson Award.

Your committee finds this proposal irregular.

9. Proposal nine deals with the Tyler's Oath.

The proposed amendment to Form 3 of Part VII would read as follows:

I, _____, do hereby and hereon solemnly and sincerely swear that I have been regularly initiated, passed and raised to the Sublime Degree of a Master Mason in a just and legally constituted lodge recognized by the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario; that I do not stand suspended or expelled; and I know of no reason why I should not hold Masonic Communication with my brethren.

Your committee finds this proposal irregular.

All of which is respectfully submitted on behalf of the committee.

FREDERICK HALPERN, Chairman

**REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON
FRATERNAL CORRESPONDENCE**

R.W. Bro. J. D. Kingston presented this Report and read the Foreword to the Reviews. The Deputy Grand Master then moved, seconded by R.W. Bro. J. D. Kingston, that the Report be received. (See page 205)

REPORT OF THE LIBRARY, MUSEUM and ARCHIVES COMMITTEE

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. M. L. Shea, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. M. L. Shea, it was received.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

It is a privilege to present this report on behalf of the following committee members: R.W. Bro. Lanny Salmon, Team Leader-Library, R.W. Bro. Don Jagger, R.W. Bro. Victor Lepp, W. Bro. Ron Bivens, W. Bro. Don Falconer, and V.W. Bro. Gene Lotzm, Team Leader-Museum and Archives, R.W. Bro. Marvin Smith, W. Bro. Bill Wheeler, and W. Bro. Daniel Glenney.

Beginning in late 2005, a new system of cataloguing the books in the Masonic Library was begun, using the "Revised Boyden" system. Thanks to R.W. Bro. Lanny Salmon, and his helpers, this project is nearly completed. Books are now placed on the shelves accordingly.

R.W. Bro. James Kirk-White, Web Master, attended a recent committee meeting. After listening to our concerns regarding the difficulties in providing fast and easy access to materials in the library and being able to keep accurate record of where materials are dispersed, R.W. Bro. Kirk-White offered suggestions which the committee might consider. He also checked our present computer and printer to advise if they were capable of performing the tasks being recommended. His suggestions were greatly appreciated and this committee hopes that in the future, access to all library materials will become much more easily obtained by all of our members, whether they live close or far away from Hamilton.

Several requests, concerning the availability of extra library materials have been received from lodges and districts who are in the planning stages of establishing their own Masonic libraries. After all our library materials are catalogued, Lanny Salmon plans to list all the extra books and divide them up into boxes which could then be made available on loan. This committee would request a report back from the borrowing library and it may also be necessary that the books be returned after a given period of time, if future requests are received.

Library (Report of R.W. Bro. Lanny Salmon)

Since September, 2006, the committee has been busy shelving 75% of the books in the correct section according to the "Boyden System." The remaining 25% of the books are to be shelved by September, 2007.

W. Bro. Don Falconer is undertaking the task of converting the most important VHS tapes to DVD format. This will comprise of approximately 25 to 30 tapes.

R.W. Bro. Jim Kirk-White was consulted regarding designing a library Web site. The Web site is aimed at making the Grand Lodge Library more user friendly and increasing its use across Ontario.

If anyone is interested in borrowing a book, videotape or audio cassette from the library, or if anyone simply has a question about the library, please contact the Grand Lodge office by phone, fax, or email (grandlodge@on.ca). These articles are shipped free of charge but return postage must be paid by the borrower.

In closing, I would like to thank the Grand Lodge Library Committee for their ongoing support and commitment.

Museum and Archives (Report of V.W. Bro. Gene Lotz)

Once again it is that time to prepare for the end of another Masonic year. The Grand Lodge Museum and Archives has continued to grow with new artifacts being donated to our permanent collection. For those who have never visited the museum it is a worthwhile endeavour to stop by the second floor of the Grand Lodge Building.

Two ongoing projects are worth mentioning regarding the museum's outreach activities. The first is the continuing project to find, catalogue, and photograph all the final resting places of our Grand Masters. If any district or lodge has a connection with a departed Past Grand Master, I would encourage them to contact the committee.

The other ongoing project is to find and catalogue all the cornerstones laid by the Masonic Fraternity in our jurisdiction. Last year Thistle Lodge in Amherstburg assisted our Grand Master to lay the cornerstone of a new building being constructed in the downtown area. It was an impressive event attended by many Masons and the public. The Museum Committee is developing a project to encourage this unique public Masonic Ceremony. Details of that project will be unveiled in the near future.

I would remind any lodge or district if any artifacts are without a home, please consider the Grand Lodge Museum.

Conclusion

In conclusion, my appreciation is extended to the committee members for their support and contributions. To all those who volunteer to assist in many other ways, your time is also much appreciated.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the committee.

M. LEE SHEA, Chairman

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON SEMINARS AND WORKSHOPS

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. B. J. Hutton, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Hutton, it was received.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

This report is presented on behalf of its members: R.W. Bros. Morley Allen, Roy Chadwick, Bruce Dickson, John Hough, Alan Pendleton and Bill Rose. Their experience, knowledge and commitment to consider seminars that provide exciting and informative sessions for the participants is greatly appreciated. Our thanks to the various Grand Lodge committees that continued to hold District and/or Lodge workshops throughout our jurisdiction on such topics as Friend to Friend, Mentors, Brother to Brother, Officer Progression, Masonic Education, Computer Resources, Long Range Planning and others.

One of the objectives this year for our committee was to have regional seminars for local brethren to receive the valuable information from experienced Masons on other interesting topics. Attempts were made to have these sessions in the spring so as not to conflict with the

Lodges of Instruction held in the fall. Unfortunately, conflicts with other related activities proved difficult to finalize these plans. It is still this committee's hopes that these workshops may be held next year.

The other focus was to once again, hold workshops on Tuesday afternoon at our Grand Lodge Communication. Seminars are scheduled to begin at 1:30 p.m., 2:30 p.m. and 3:30 p.m. and will be 50 minutes in duration, allowing participants time to move to the next room.

The following sessions are planned for this year (the first 3 repeated from last year):

Speaking with Ease – *Taming the Pterodactyls!* Presented by Bro. Bruce Palanik. We all experience butterflies when we must stand up in front of a crowd. But when those butterflies appear to be a flock of pterodactyls, we need to know how to control them.

Office of District Secretary – *Stop your Quill from Quivering.* Once again, presented by V.W. Bro. Roy Pickard, Past District Secretary, St. Thomas District. This office is a very important part of the District team and this information will greatly benefit anyone who will be assuming those duties.

Ritual for Dummies – *Upgrade your Skills.* Members from the Lodge of Instruction Team, led by V.W. Bro. Gordon Crutcher and R.W. Bro. George McCowan, will offer pointers on the mechanics of the work, referring to the Questions & Answers booklet compiled by that team.

Lodge Finances – *A just account of all receipts and expenditures.* Presented by members of the Finance Committee. Proper accounting of lodge finances is essential to the well-being of the lodge, and this session will be valuable for all lodge treasurers and/or finance chairmen.

Membership – *Boredom to Excitement.* Members from the Brother to Brother Committee will provide pointers on keeping membership numbers healthy.

Masonic Foundation of Ontario – *Everything you wanted to know – AND MORE!* R.W. Bro. Sam Kalinowsky will present an excellent Power Point program on the history of this "Charity of Choice" along with what the future may hold.

The Lewis Jewel – *Your Children's Children.* R.W. Bro. Morley Allen will present the practical aspect of the Lewis, a steel lifting device used by Stonemasons (with a working example), and the newly revised Lewis Jewel, recognizing the son of a Mason.

Computer Resources. R.W. Bro. Brian Bond and his team will once again offer assistance with the mechanics of email summons, security of documents and privacy of our member information. (Running continually throughout the afternoon)

The committee extends appreciation to the Grand Secretary and members of the office staff for posting the schedule of sessions in the notice, as well as, arranging accommodations and equipment. Also, the assistance of the above noted dedicated and knowledgeable Masons to prepare and present these seminars for other members of our fraternity. A heartfelt thanks is extended to each one of them.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the committee.

BARRY J. HUTTON, Chairman

REPORT OF THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON LODGE BUILDINGS

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. R.J. Cresswell, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. R.J. Cresswell, it was received.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

I am pleased to present the Report of the Advisory Committee on Lodge Buildings on behalf of its members: R.W. Bros. Richard F. Hewitt, William C. Smith, Joseph W. Lewis, V.W. Bros. Roy E. Pickard, Rod C. Blair, Wental E. McLeod, W. Bro. Lawrence Brandridge. I wish to express my appreciation to the committee for giving their time and knowledge and to all who provided me assistance this past year.

Ongoing and Completed Projects

1. St. James Lodge No. 73, St. Marys (South Huron District)
The inspection of their new facility was completed on February 12, 2006, and the lodge was dedicated on Saturday, May 12, 2007. (completed)
2. Cassia Lodge No. 116, Thedford (Sarnia District)
The lodge membership purchased an existing building and remodeling is now going on. This committee did a preliminary inspection on January 17, 2007. We found the renovations going well and requested dispensation from the Grand Master for them to continue to meet in Arkona until the renovations are complete.
3. Brant Lodge No. 45, Brantford (Brant District)
The membership have completed a new lodge room in the Brantford Shrine building. The ceremony of dedication was conducted by the Grand Master on October 24, 2006. (completed)
4. Percy Lodge No. 161, Warkworth (Peterborough District)
The members have purchased a building lot on Main Street with the intention of constructing a new lodge building once the present building has been sold. There have been no offers to date. Plans/sketches for the new building layout are still to be forwarded to the Grand Secretary and also to this committee for review and action. This committee has not been in contact or been contacted as of the writing of this report.
5. St. Andrew's Lodge No. 497, North Brook (Frontenac District)
I was contacted by R.W. Bro. Robert Haley on August 23, 2006, and arranged an inspection for August 28, 2006. I found the new lodge room met our Grand Lodge requirements and advised the Grand Master on August 31. Dispensation was granted for them to meet until January 19, 2007, when the Grand Master dedicated this new lodge room. (completed)
6. Reba Lodge No. 515, Brantford (Brant District)
I was contacted on August 30, 2006, by W. Bro. Dan Murray, the Lodge Secretary, to see if the new building could be inspected which is currently an Oddfellows Hall. The facility needed very little renovation to meet Grand Lodge requirements. I recommended

the Grand Master give dispensation for their meetings until an official dedication ceremony date can be chosen.

7. Orono Lodge No. 325, Orono (Ontario District)

They vacated their old lodge building on November 3, 2006, and moved to the Rebecca Hall for December 14, 2006. Dispensation was applied for and received. R.W. Bro. Hewitt of this committee attended the hall on January 11, 2007, for an inspection and gave a favourable report. The request for approval was forwarded to the Grand Master. The committee now awaits the Grand Master's response.

8. Guelph Masonic Center cornerstone laying and re-dedication ceremony was performed by the Grand Master, M.W. Bro. Gary L. Atkinson, on March 24, 2007, with a large number of Grand Lodge Officers and local Masons in attendance, along with several civic dignitaries who had the opportunity to express their appreciation of the Mason's historical role in the community. (completed)

This committee has responded to brethren seeking advice from Georgian North and South Districts and Victoria District. The Deputy Grand Master has requested we review a checklist, initiated in 2004, to assist lodges in the jurisdiction in evaluating the safety of their buildings.

We congratulate those lodges and building corporations that have undertaken the task of providing new and improved homes for the members of our great fraternity. Your time and effort are greatly appreciated.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted on behalf of the committee.

ROBERT CRESSWELL, Chairman

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FRATERNAL RELATIONS

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. B. K. Schweitzer, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Schweitzer, it was adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

Your committee on Fraternal Relations met in the boardroom at the Grand Lodge Memorial building on Thursday May 10, 2007. The committee reviewed and discussed the three requests for Recognition from the Grand Lodge of Ukraine, the Grand Lodge of Macedonia and the Grand Lodge of Congo.

In considering these requests for recognition your committee looks at three important criteria:

- Legitimacy of Origin
- Territorial Sovereignty
- Adherence to the Ancient Landmarks.

Using these three standards, together with information received from the requesting Grand Lodges and reports from the Commission on Information for Recognition of the Conference of Grand Masters of Masons in North America, the committee wishes to provide the following information and recommendation.

The Grand Lodge of Ukraine

The Grand Lodge Nationale Francaise and the Grand Lodge of Austria consecrated the Grand Lodge of Ukraine in Paris, on September 24, 2005. It presently has six (6) Craft lodges on its roll, four from the Grand Lodge Nationale Francaise, one from the Grand Lodge of Austria and the sixth 2 years after the Grand Lodge consecration. The Grand Master is M.W. Bro. Oleh Kouzan. It appears from the information received that it meets the criteria.

The United Grand Lodge of Macedonia

The United Grand Lodge of England, with the representation of 15 European Grand Lodges, consecrated the Grand Lodge of Macedonia in Skopje, on September 30, 2005. It presently has four (4) Craft lodges on its roll, three from the United Grand Lodge of England, and the fourth in February of 2007. The Grand Master is M.W. Bro. Vladimir Sukarov. It appears from the information received that it meets the criteria.

The Grand Lodge of Congo

The Grand Lodge of Senegal consecrated the Grand Lodge of Congo on October 21, 2000. Prior to this, the Republic of Congo was under the Jurisdiction of Senegal. The Grand Lodge of Congo includes four Republics: the Republic of Congo, the Republic of Centrafrique, the Republic of Chad and Democratic Republic of Congo. It presently has twenty (20) Craft lodges on its roll. Their ceremonies are similar to the United Grand Lodge of England and the Grand Lodge Nationale of France. In 2001, the Grand Lodge of Congo asked the Commission on Information for Recognition for acceptance, however the commission asked for more information. Again in 2003, they requested standing from the Commission. At this time the Commission reported that the Grand Lodge of Congo meets the criteria for regularity and recognition. The Grand Master is M.W. Bro. Jean Lounana Kouta. It appears from the information received that it meets the criteria, however due to various instability within the country the committee feels that this application should be held in beyance.

The committee recommends that recognition be extended to both the Grand Lodge of Ukraine and the United Grand Lodge of Macedonia.

Points of Interest

An organization calling itself the Grand Lodge of All England is presenting itself as a legitimate Masonic Grand Lodge in England. It claims to trace its roots to a lodge at York, founded in 1705, later styled itself a Grand Lodge in 1725 first named the Grand Lodge of England at York, and later the Grand Lodge of All England at York. This Grand Lodge went dormant in 1740, was revived in 1761, and went dormant again in 1791, never to meet again. On December 23, 2005, an assembly of Masons met and "reclaimed English Freemasonry on Behalf of its rightful custodians." The Grand Lodge of All England emerged and is said to be a revival of the Grand Lodge that went dormant in 1791.

The Commission on Information for Recognition cannot validate the claimed legitimacy of origin of the Grand Lodge of All England, since no documentation has been presented that this Grand Lodge was reinstated or reconstituted in 2005 by a recognized Masonic authority. In addition, it cannot claim exclusive territorial jurisdiction since a pact or treaty does not exist to share the jurisdiction with the United Grand Lodge of England.

It is therefore the opinion of the Commission that the Grand Lodge of All England does not meet the standards for recognition.

On behalf of the committee, it is a pleasure to submit this report.

BRIAN K. SCHWEITZER, Chairman

REPORT OF THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON LODGE FINANCES

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. G. O. Loshaw, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Loshaw, it was received.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

On behalf of the Advisory Committee on Lodge Finances, it is my pleasure to submit the following report.

May we begin by extending congratulations to the lodges and temple boards throughout this Grand Lodge jurisdiction that are enjoying sound financial stability due to well managed financial expertise. The back bone of every lodge is active members; a successful lodge however, requires other attributes, not the least of which is a strong financial base, the result of annual financial budgets. However, not all lodges are vibrant or financially sound and as lodges continue to struggle with increasing costs, reduced investment income and declining revenue from annual dues resulting from the declining membership in our grand jurisdiction, they are continuously faced with the "nagging problem" that has allowed themselves to be placed in this position by:

1. Not preparing an annual financial budget;
2. Not creating one dues rate structure;
3. Not invoicing the members to avoid arrears;
4. Not having in place the use of proper accounting techniques and
5. Not having a properly funded Life Membership account.

Unfortunately improperly funded Life Membership accounts continue to be a major problem and in turn, creating a financial nightmare for many lodges. There appears to be two major factors contributing to this matter in that; some lodges wish to recognize their "more senior" members by giving them a Life Membership after a pre-determined number of years of being a member of the lodge while other lodges award an Honorary Life Membership to those who have rendered outstanding service to the Craft. It must be stressed that there is NO difference between a Life Membership and an Honorary Life Membership and they both must be dealt with in the same manner.

Secondly, there is failure to recognize the guidelines for a Life Membership account as set out in the Book of Constitution and adopted by this Grand Lodge in July 1997. This formula is proven and should be adhered to.

We must be ever mindful of the fact that there is a cost to operating a lodge and that cost is borne by all members – both dues paying members and Life Members are responsible for sharing those costs.

I would be remiss in not drawing to your attention the fact that three past chairmen of this committee, R.W. Bros. Robert Wands, Tom Hogeboom, and George Hinds, have brought forward valuable tools to be used in the assistance of lodge accounting, as well as, a proposed formulae of getting assistance to lodges in a more timely fashion where time is of the essence.

Until such time that the paper back describing a simple method of recording the finances of a lodge or the CD Rom covering all aspects of accounting practice and the proposed

formulae of quickly identifying those lodges requiring assistance are put in place, this message is very similar to that of the clergy who administers the message to the choir.

It is truly recommended that these submissions and proposals be given serious consideration and attention. While many lodges have good accountants in their membership who can prepare and maintain accounting records, there are also lodges that have many brethren, although not accounting oriented, are willing to take on the offices of Secretary and Treasurer. It is for their benefit that the material which has been prepared by this committee be put in place for an uncomplicated means of recording the financial operation of the lodge.

The members of the committee continue to make themselves available to speak to lodges and group meetings, offering recommendations to improve lodge finances and to assist lodges in financial difficulties. We trust that the advice we offered this year has been of assistance.

The Advisory Committee on Lodge Finances would take this opportunity to give special "thanks" to Mrs. Dorothy Chalmers for her many years of loyal service to our Grand Lodge and to this committee in particular. We wish her and her husband many years of good health and enjoyment.

All of which is respectfully submitted on behalf of the committee members: R.W. Bros. T. E. Lewis, R. G. Wands, M. D. Lampert, R. A. Keith and V.W.Bro. B. Birdsall. The chairman thanks them for their input and support and extends sincere appreciation to the Grand Secretary, M.W. Bro. Terrance Shand, for his counsel and guidance, as well as, the staff at the Grand Lodge office for their support and assistance.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted.

GILES O. LOSHAW, Chairman

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC RELATIONS

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. J. C. Green, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Green, it was received.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

I am pleased to submit this report on behalf of the Public Relations Committee members – R.W. Bros. C. John Woodburn, David Wood, John Hiley, Ian Millar, Williard Barnes, Doug Angus, Greg Seale, Harvey Street, Carl Miller and V.W.Bros. Alan Arbuckle and Larry Carter.

OPEN HOUSES

Our committee has received notice of all Friend to Friend Meetings and Open Houses. We are pleased there were over 60 such events that hopefully had two effects – to attract applicants to Freemasonry and expose the meaning of our Fraternity to the general public so that our philosophy is better understood.

SEMINARS

Our committee had a very successful session at Grand Lodge last year with over 80 masons in attendance. A large number were incoming District Deputy Grand Masters which helped the relationship our committee enjoyed with them throughout the year. I would strongly recommend that the Public Relations Committee should continue such a workshop in the future.

SCRAPBOOK

I once again want to thank R.W. Bro. Roy Davies and his wife Kathy for being responsible for inserting our press clippings in an orderly fashion in our Grand Lodge Scrapbooks. It is also important to recognize their effort in displaying scrapbooks for our interest at our Grand Lodge Communication in July.

FAMILY OF FREEMASONRY

This year I had two meetings with the Public Relations Representatives of our Concordant Bodies – Scottish Rite, Knights Templar, York Rite and the respective Shrine Centers. These meetings allowed us to exchange thoughts and inform each other of important events of our respective organizations i.e. ceremonials, communications and parades, etc.

LODGES OF INSTRUCTION

Our committee members were present at the Lodge of Instruction meetings offering Masonic information to those in attendance. It was encouraging to see the thirst for Masonic knowledge that was evident at these functions. This was demonstrated by record sales of books and pamphlets that were available. In a lot of instances we were sold out of many popular items.

SPECIAL EVENTS

In September of 2006 our Fraternity participated at the International Plowing Match at Keene. Our Masonic display tent was shared with York Rite, Scottish Rite, Knights Templar, Shriners, Order of the Eastern Star and Canadian Blood Services. On behalf of Grand Lodge, our committee wants to thank Chairman, W. Bro. Bob McBride and the local committee for their organization, courtesy and cooperation in making the event successful. Special thanks to I.P.M. Chairman, R.W. Bro. Norm Blodgett for his effort and assistance.

We all enjoyed a most successful Meet and Greet with the Grand Master at the farm of W. Bro. Scott Pimmett. This was a great experience, great food, unique setting, cooperative weather and a great group of 237 masons and ladies in attendance.

R.W. Bro. Doug Angus and I are currently working closely with R.W. Bro. Giles Loshaw and the local committee for the 2007 International Plowing Match at Crosby. This committee has a lot of experience and capabilities that will insure another Masonic success. The committee has representatives from 5 Masonic districts. Their enthusiasm and cooperative attitude is a display of true Masonic spirit.

COMMUNICATIONS

Our committee is still working on a DVD suitable for cable T.V. stations to promote and explain the philosophy of the Family of Freemasonry. This project has taken longer than anticipated, but we have very nearly completed the script. Hopefully it will be carried to completion by the next Public Relations Committee.

OTHER ACTIVITIES

Our committee has experienced great cooperation from various districts and lodges by having displays of Freemasonry at special events in their respective communities. There were as many as a dozen such events during the past year. i.e. Gore Bay Trade Show, Fergus Scottish Festival, Port Elgin Pumpkinfest and Brigden Fair to name but a few.

These activities, as well as our participation in parades and public events, can only enhance our image in our respective communities and allow our fraternity to prosper and flourish.

We have had good cooperation from the D.D.G.M.s this year – first to distribute the official Masonic logo to each lodge to maintain continuity and, we also asked the D.D.G.M.s to do some research for Grand Lodge. We now know for the first time that names we acquired at the International Plowing Match of possible interest in masonry about 20% made application for membership to the Craft. I would recommend this follow-up be continued in future years.

We have found that more than 150 lodges have entrance signs displaying the Masonic logo at entrance to their respective municipalities. This is about 50% if you consider nearly all cities over 100,000 population have local by-laws prohibiting such signage which takes about 225 lodges out of the available sites.

I want to offer special thanks to R.W. Bro. Doug Angus for his dedication and tireless effort after five years of coordinating the special events for Grand Lodge Public Relations. Doug will be retiring from committee work at this Grand Lodge Communication.

It is my honour to offer thanks to those committee members who have worked diligently for the good and the future of Freemasonry in Ontario.

On their behalf, I respectfully submit this report.

JOHN GREEN, Chairman

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON MASONIC EDUCATION

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. R. S. J. Daniels, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Daniels, it was received.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

When, at the urging of M.W. Bro. John S. Martin (Grand Master 1927–1928), the first Grand Lodge Committee on Masonic Education was constituted in 1930 with R.W. Bro. William J. Dunlop (subsequently Grand Master 1937–1938) as the first chairman, the stated mandate specified four broad subject areas as the basis for a thorough curriculum in Masonic instruction: 1) Tradition, 2) Rites, 3) Symbolism, and 4) History. The primary purpose and function of each and every program devised by this committee throughout the 77 years of its existence has been and is to the present day, to encourage and inspire, assist and support every brother in his daily quest for Masonic knowledge.

"What sculpture is to a block of marble, education is to a human soul."
Joseph Addison

The acquisition of Masonic knowledge is a ‘Do It Yourself’ project. Education is achieved, not received. There are unlimited resources available to assist the serious student – ‘*Yours to Discover.*’ In ‘**Masonic Nights at the Round Table**’ and at **Lodges of Discussion** all present are encouraged to discuss, question, and explore the deeper significance and profound meaning of our rites and ceremonies, our symbols and allegories, our ancient usages and established customs. Thereby, brethren gain greater knowledge and achieve better understanding of what Freemasonry is, the significant role it has played in shaping society, and the visionary function it can play in directing life and conduct in the 21st century. The

study of Freemasonry should prepare every Mason to speak freely and with authority when asked what it means to be a Freemason.

- **Recommendation:** Every Worshipful Master is encouraged not only to ‘employ’ but also to ‘instruct the brethren in Masonry.’ He should endeavour to inspire his brethren to ‘get on the learning curve’ by including Masonic Education in one form or another – whether for thirty seconds or thirty minutes - as an agenda item at every meeting of the Lodge. A simple but pertinent question posed to the brethren is the best and surest means to focus attention and stimulate thought. We always have time for the things we value.

“2, 3, 5, 7 or more heads are better than 1”

Reports have been received from District Chairmen and Regional Representatives that discussion groups, study circles, book clubs, etc. have been established in several districts to provide informal settings for the free exchange of ideas among the brethren. To cite but one example, the members of Doric lodge No. 424, Ajax, regularly hold breakfast meetings followed by discussion. In two districts, Waterloo and Muskoka-Parry Sound, the District Deputy Grand Master has applied the Socratic method of posing a question to initiate discussion at his Official Visits. There is so much to be learned that there is no one who can be said to know it all. We can learn much from all those that we meet along the road of our Masonic journey.

- **Recommendation:** Masonry is not a spectator sport. Participation is the key to maintaining interest. The farsighted Worshipful Master will use all ways and means at his disposal to give every member – from the newest Entered Apprentice to the most senior Past Master – *ownership* in the lodge. Give every member a reason for coming to lodge, and he will be there.

Monthly Bulletins on timely topics written by members of the Curriculum Group of the Committee are distributed by email to an extensive list of subscribers, who, in turn, are asked to ‘pass it on’ to Masons of their acquaintance in their personal address book. All District Deputy Grand Masters receive the Bulletin. By this efficient, expedient and economical means of communication, these Bulletins have enjoyed an incredible circulation. Positive and appreciative responses have been received from Nova Scotia to British Columbia, and from several States. District and Lodge Chairmen of Education have used them for short talks, and excerpts have been reprinted in the Lodge Summons and Newsletters.

This year topics have included: The Lewis Jewel (Sept.), The Moon to Rule the Night (Oct.), Lost in Awe and Wonder – Initiation (Nov.), Travel Broadens the Mind (Dec.). The Season of Festivity (Dec.), The Loyal Toast – The Queen and the Craft (Jan.), The Ancient Landmarks of Freemasonry (Feb.), The Trowel (Mar.), As Men and as Masons – Vimy 1917 (Apr.). Bulletins are also posted in the Masonic Education pages on the Grand Lodge Web site.

In the broad context of “*Let’s Talk Masonry*” the chairman and members of the committee have made many presentations on the invitation of the Worshipful Master in lodges around the Grand Jurisdiction. Following these seminal presentations when the basic process has been demonstrated, reports have been received that the Worshipful Master has adopted and adapted the strategies to suit the local conditions. Until any program or project initiated by a committee of Grand Lodge takes on a life of its own, and ownership in it is embraced by the brethren in the constituent lodges, then, and only then, will it be effective.

The question WHY? continues to be uppermost in the minds of many brethren, especially the newly initiated Masons that are keenly interested to explore the '*mysteries and privileges of ancient Freemasonry*' that we promise them. As the number of initiates continues to increase, resource materials have been devised and distributed for the instruction of the Entered Apprentice and guidance of the Fellowcraft. A program of instruction for use in the ante-room with an Entered Apprentice or Fellowcraft while a superior degree is being conferred in the lodge was shared by R.W. Bro. Donald J. Hamilton, D.D.G.M., Wellington District. This committee is pleased to receive and respond to any serious inquiries directed to us, either through the Grand Secretary's office or by email from an enquiring brother.

"I am not a teacher – only a fellow traveller of whom you asked the way. I pointed ahead – ahead of myself as well as of you." George Bernard Shaw.

The College of Freemasonry – V.W. Bro. Sydney R. Lowe, Administrator; V.W. Bro. Gordon S. Walker, Co-administrator.

During the year (July 2006 to April 2007) thirty-five new students enrolled in the Correspondence Courses for Master Masons, and thirty-one certificates of achievement were issued for presentation by the District Deputy Grand Masters to the successful students.

Sincere congratulations are extended to the following graduates of the Master Masons Course who have earned Certificates of Achievement as **Fellow of the College of Freemasonry (F.C.F.)** during the year:

Cameron, David	Grand River Lodge No. 151	Waterloo District
Campbell, Donald	Doric Lodge No. 58	Ottawa 1 District
Peters, Edward	Victoria Lodge No. 299	Frontenac District
Phillips, Kevin	King George Lodge No. 123	Colchester, Nova Scotia*
Reid, George	Victoria Lodge No. 299	Frontenac District
Shewan, Gary	Salem Lodge No. 368	St. Lawrence District
Sloukji, Michel	Southgate Lodge No. 674	Toronto West District
Stewart, John	Union Lodge No. 7	Hamilton B District

* Master Warrant Officer Bro. Kevin Phillips is a member of the Canadian Armed Forces, and while on active duty and being transferred through several postings has most justly earned the distinction of Fellow of the College, and deserves special commendation.

Since its introduction in 1998, 486 Past Masters have enrolled in the Correspondence Course for Prospective District Deputy Grand Masters, and 205 (42%) have qualified as graduates by completing all three sections. The ratio of graduates to applicants has improved over the last two years. Prince Edward District with thirteen graduates and Georgian North District with twelve top the list. It is regrettable that during the entire period of nine years there have been no enrollees from two districts in the Grand Jurisdiction. This year to date (2006–2007) forty-one were enrolled and twelve completed the course.

- **Recommendation:** The importance of the role of the District Deputy Grand Master as the Grand Master's personal representative in the district cannot be overstated. The preparation for the duties and responsibilities of the office can never be too much. Consideration should be given to making graduation from the Correspondence Course for Prospective District Deputy Grand Masters mandatory and a prerequisite by amendment to Section 50 of the Book of Constitution.

Since 1994, V.W. Bro. Sydney R. Lowe, and with the able assistance of V.W. Bro. Gordon S. Walker since 2000, have been the diligent and efficient administrators of the correspondence courses offered by the College of Freemasonry. The dedication and assiduity of these two brethren are to be commended. The mentors that review the assignments submitted by the students and comment on the answers given are the real source of success. This corps of learned and knowledgeable Masons serve the students of this college faithfully. Their contribution to Masonic Education is acknowledged and much appreciated.

Application forms for all correspondence courses are posted on the Grand Lodge Web site, and may be sent with the registration fee to Mr. Syd R. Lowe, 1071 Guildwood Boulevard, London, Ontario N6H 4G4.

The Newsletter – V.W. Bro. David J. Cameron, Editor, R.W. Bro. D. Garry Dowling, Publisher and Subscription Manager, R.W. Bro. Michael Wooley, V.W. Bro. Iain Mackenzie, W. Bros. David Cook, Robert McBride, and Bro. Stephen Clarke, Editorial Board.

The mandate of *The Newsletter* is to provide informative and timely essays written by Ontario Masons relevant to Ontario Masons. In addition to short but interesting articles on a wide variety of topics, each quarterly issue contains regular features: *Questions of the Fraternity* (V.W. Bro. Iain Mackenzie), *Custodian's Corner* (M.W. Bro. C. Edwin Drew, Custodian of the Work), and *Book Nook* (R.W. Bro. Wallace McLeod, Grand Historian). All brethren are encouraged to "take pen / keyboard in hand" and submit an article under the comprehensive topics of history, philosophy, or symbolism. Every lodge, indeed, every Mason, has so much of interest to share.

There are at present more than 600 subscribers. Four issues are published annually, and are sent by post. Orders may be placed and subscriptions renewed by remitting \$18.00 a year to Mr. D. Garry Dowling, 81 Naomee Crescent, London, Ontario N6H 3T3. An order form is posted on the Grand Lodge Web site.

- **Recommendation:** Some lodges subscribe to *The Newsletter* and share the current issue around the lodge. Others present a one-year subscription to every newly-raised Master Mason.

Publications and Book Sales – V.W. Bro. Iain B. Mackenzie, Sub-chairman and Sales Manager.

Take time to read ... it is the fountain of wisdom.

Take time to think ... it is the source of power.

Several publications of Grand Lodge have been amended, updated, and reprinted and will be available at this Communication. Brethren are encouraged to obtain the latest editions of The Work and The Ceremony of Installation and Investiture. Immediately following the Annual Communication, The Book of Constitution is revised and reprinted to include any amendments adopted by Grand Lodge.

The catalogues of several renowned publishers of Masonic books have been explored and the selection expanded. Books offered for sale at cost from the Book Table include standard reference volumes, Masonic classics, best sellers, and recent publications. A selection of resource material is also taken on the fall tour with the Lodge of Instruction Team. During the year a list of books and other publications currently available from the Grand Secretary's office is published. Orders may be placed through the Secretary of the Lodge or purchased 'over the counter' at the Grand Lodge building in Hamilton.

- Recommendation:** Some District Chairmen of Education take a selection of Grand Lodge publications and current titles to Official Visits and other District events to serve the brethren directly.

G-15 – V.W. Bro. David J. Cameron, Chairman, W. Bro. Richard Wright, Liaison.

Modern, Free and Accepted Masons - Our Future

In the spring of 2004 a group of younger Masons was brought together for the sole purpose of discussing the meaning of Masonry in the lives of men in the 21st century, to take our present bearings, to explore the fundamental ideas and ideals of the Craft, and to formulate a new perspective of the role Freemasonry might play in modern society. Why are young men joining the fraternity in increasing numbers at the present time? What are they looking for that may be missing in society that Freemasonry may be able to supply? How can we assist them in their quest?

Education – the process; **Learning** – the method; **Knowledge** – the product.

Freemasonry is not an exercise in scholarship, but a voyage of personal discovery.

Wisdom is knowing what to do next; **skill** is knowing how to do it; **virtue** is doing it.

Thanks must be expressed to all members of the committee, the sub-chairmen, the Curriculum Group, and the Regional Representatives for the immense contribution they have made and the service they have rendered to the advancement of Masonic knowledge in this Grand Jurisdiction.

R.W. Bro. James A. Fisher served as the efficient Secretary of the committee from 2003 until his untimely death on March 30, 2007. His contribution to Masonry in this Grand Jurisdiction as devoted member of his lodge, able educator and competent administrator was immense and he will be sadly missed. *Ave atque vale.*

All of which is respectfully and fraternally submitted on behalf of the Committee on Masonic Education.

RAYMOND S. J. DANIELS, Chairman

CALLED OFF

Grand Lodge adjourned at 11:40 a.m.

CALLED ON

Grand Lodge resumed labour at 1:30 p.m.

REPORT OF THE BLOOD DONORS COMMITTEE

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. T.A. Siemiernik, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. T.A. Siemiernik, it was received.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

It I am pleased to present this report on behalf of the Blood Donors' Committee: R.W. Bros. Thomas Forbes (Secretary), Glenn Cousins, Roy Harrison, Terry Pachal, Gary Bloomfield, William Sylvester, Doug McLaren, Ross Ferguson, Bill Henshall, Don Rumble, V.W. Bros.

Jim Abrams, David McCallum, W. Bros. Terry Henderson, Gary Bryan, and all District Chairmen and volunteers – a stellar group of hard working Masons.

Due to the experience and expertise of the committee members, the year has run very smoothly, but some changes have been made. As in the past, we have felt that we have been undercounting, therefore have implemented a new sign-in form. This was presented to all chairmen for their input. Every attempt has been made adhere to the Privacy Act.

- filling in the form is voluntary
- names are not necessary, a check mark is adequate
- the information collected is only for use within our order
- we do not ask for sensitive information e.g. age, phone number, address

Our goal is to obtain a more accurate count, especially those pertaining to Masons. This new form has been distributed to all chairmen to be used at all clinics effective April 1, 2007. The collective count for all districts will remain as it is. Special thanks to R.W. Bro. Tom Forbes for assisting with these forms.

Some members who are unable to donate blood are volunteering at local clinics or making monetary donations; for your efforts I thank you.

International Plowing Match

When attending the Plowing Match in September , we were pleased to share the booth with the Canadian Blood Service staff. Much positive feedback was received for the blood typing service provided by the C.B.S. The rapport with the C.B.S. personnel is very good and we strive to maintain it. We had the pleasure of talking with many Masons who are blood donors. I encourage all members who attend the Internatinal Plowing Match to visit our booth. We plan to attend this year's Plowing Match in Cosby, Ontario.

Certificate of Merit

We are continuing to present a Certificate of Merit to Masons who have reached a milestone. This year we have included first time donors, some of which were new Master Masons. Certificates to non-Masons will be issued at the local lodge or district level not by Grand Lodge.

Recognition

We again recognize the district with the highest number of donations, the district with the greatest per capita donations and the most improved district.

- Most Donations – Hamilton District B
- Highest Per Capita Donations – Algoma District
- Most Improved District – Temiskaming District

We also thank and congratulate all donors who have reached a milestone from their first donation to the highest we have recorded. Special tribute to R.W. Bro. Clare Hatt of London East District for his 800th donation.

Communication

The most effective means of communication has been email. Three meetings were held this year: Innerkip, Erin and Belleville. These three locations seemed to accommodate most committee members. C.B.S. was present at two of the meetings.

Partners For Life Program

This agreement has been renewed for another year. As a partner of Canadian Blood Services, we will endeavor to promote and encourage our members to continue to make the commitment and donate.

Listed below are the numbers of plasma, platelet, and whole blood donations by District to March 31, 2007, our year end.

	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>		<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>
Algoma	4,439	4903	Ottawa I	228	249
Algoma East	71	61	Ottawa 2	1,715	1,752
Brant	732	715	Peterborough	199	NR
Bruce	333	549	Prince Edward	846	546
Chatham	118	192	St Lawrence	275	339
Eastern	396	544	St Thomas	270	62
Erie	2,407	2,426	Sarnia	140	250
Frontenac	521	543	South Huron	800	1,175
Georgian North	174	27	Sudbury-Manitoulin	101	NR
Georgian South	238	446	Temiskaming	526	1,830
Grey	120	91	Toronto Don Valley	ND	21
Hamilton A	237	199	Toronto East	ND	404
Hamilton B	5,277	7,305	Toronto Humber Valley	ND	6
Hamilton C	74	819	Toronto West	ND	NR
London East	379	307	Toronto York	ND	472
London West	275	400	Victoria	450	454
Muskoka-P Sound	1,819	1,111	Waterloo	121	527
Niagara A	1,425	1,624	Wellington	4,898	4,869
Niagara B	NR	1,446	Western	1,290	NR
Nipissing East	328	338	Wilson North	744	799
North Huron	2,022	2009	Wilson South	1,492	1,513
Ontario	2,901	999	Windsor	74	83

Total Donations

2000	22,026	2002	29,300	2004	37,709	2006	42,687
2001	24,205	2003	37,594	2005	34,516	2007	42,378

This year, the following individuals received certificates recognizing milestone donations, and we greatly appreciate their efforts.

1st TIME DONORS

WILSON NORTH

Bro. Clarence Aspden

Bro. Jeff Workman

25 DONATIONS

GREY

ST. LAWRENCE

WILSON NORTH

R.W. Bro. Gordon Hedges

W. Bro. Roger Earle

W. Bro. Ralph DeBoer

50 DONATIONS

ALGOMA	MUSKOKA -P.S.	WELLINGTON
Bro. Mark Kusznier	R.W. Bro. David Schmeler	W. Bro. Greame Kerr
FRONTENAC	NIAGARA A	W. Bro. Lester Sulzer
W. Bro. J. Thompson	W. Bro. Greg Virture	WILSON NORTH
HAMILTON A	Bro. Leo Lambert	V.W. Bro. Barry Raymer
W. Bro. Allen Wilkes	VICTORIA	R.W. Bro. Don Rumble
HAMILTON B	V.W. Bro. Keith Ingram	R.W. Bro. Beverly Burrell
W. Bro. Robert Forbes	V.W. Bro. Fred Waller	WILSON SOUTH
Bro. Jeff Denton		R.W. Bro. Neil Dolson

75 DONATIONS

ALGOMA	ST. LAWRENCE	VICTORIA
W. Bro. Shawn Connell	W. Bro. Maurice Renaud	Bro. Larry Bell
NIAGARA A	TORONTO EAST	
V.W. Bro. John Chapman	W. Bro. Earle Goodwin	
OTTAWA 2	W. Bro. Edward Russell	
W. Bro. Donald Fraser		

100 DONATIONS

ALGOMA	GREY	NIAGARA A
Bro. Ivan Donio	W. Bro. Alex Wilson	R.W. Bro. William Powell
W. Bro. George Tester	HAMILTON B	VICTORIA
ALGOMA EAST	W. Bro. Lindsay Reiach	W.Bro. Hans Helleman
Bro. Mike Hill	LONDON EAST	WELLINGTON
ERIE	R.W. Bro. James Sutherland	W. Bro. Guy Farb
Bro. Mark Restoule	MUSKOKA-P.SOUND	WILSON NORTH
FRONTENAC	W. Bro. Paul Baker	V.W. Bro. Robert Hilderley
Bro. D. MacDonald		

150 DONATIONS

ALGOMA	HAMILTON A
Bro. John Cameron	R.W. Bro. Malcolm Murray

200 DONATIONS

ALGOMA
Bro. Larry Hebert
W. Bro. Eric Johnson

250 DONATIONS

ALGOMA
W. Bro. Warren Douglas
LONDON WEST
W. Bro. Tom Weihmayer
SOUTH HURON
W. Bro. Michael Stilwell

300 DONATIONS

LONDON EAST
W. Bro. Dan Muill

350 DONATIONS

ALGOMA

W. Bro. Jack Burns

LONDON EAST

R.W. Bro. Wm. Walker

550 DONATIONS

ALGOMA

W. Bro. Albert Harding

LONDON WEST

W. Bro. Richard Walker

600 DONATIONS

LONDON WEST

V.W. Bro. Jim Abrams

700 DONATIONS

LONDON WEST

W. Bro. Shuards Sutherland

800 DONATIONS

LONDON EAST

R.W. Bro. Clare Hatt

Conclusion

Communication with many D.D.G.M.s across our jurisdiction shows that they are committed and agree that District Chairmen should serve for more than one year. Many districts are very passionate and work very hard as a team. It is with this drive and dedication that the Blood Donors' Committee will continue to flourish. As in the words of R.W. Bro. Bill Henshall, "We must start with baby steps and continue." I feel we have done so.

Give the "Gift of Life". It affects so many.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the Blood Donors' Committee.

THOMAS A. SIEMIERNIK, Chairman

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE GRAND MASTER'S ADDRESS

On motion of the Deputy Grand Master, this Report was presented by M.W. Bro. C. E. Drew, seconded by M.W. Bro. R. E. Davies, and adopted.

To the Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

My Brethren:

It is my pleasure and honor on behalf of the Committee, which is composed of all of the Past Grand Masters, to present the report on the Grand Master's address.

We join with the Grand Master in extending a welcome to all of our members and guests, and sincerely hope that each of them will benefit in some way from this annual communication. We also endorse the tributes paid to our departed brethren; their passing will leave a void that will be difficult to fill.

The review of the reports of the five ad hoc committees: Prince Hall, Special Program Fund, Widow's Program, Lodge Amalgamations and Office Manual are noted and recommendations are made for future action.

With great pleasure the Committee recognizes the three nominations for the William Mercer Wilson Medal, and joins with the Grand Master in congratulating these worthy brethren.

The Committee concurs with the recommendation of R.W. Bro. James C. Sutherland and R.W. Bro. H. Edward Standish to a three year term of honorary membership on the Board of General Purposes, and adds our congratulations to the recipients of the Meritorious Service Award.

The Committee endorses the Grand Master's recommendation of the five brethren as Grand Representatives and one brother for Past Rank.

The Committee humbly appreciates the gracious remarks to our Past Grand Masters.

The Grand Master extends thanks to the District Deputies, the Grand Lodge Officers to the members of the Board of General Purposes and to the hard working Office Staff, which are heartily endorsed by the Committee.

Special occasions such as Anniversaries, Amalgamations, Cornerstones, the International Plowing Match, many media events and the recognition of outstanding long service by our brethren were enhanced by the attendance of our Grand Master.

The Conferences attended by the Grand Master are noted, together with many interesting details of the agendas, which were followed, and the proposals, which ensued.

Many of the complaints of a disciplinary nature result from private piques and quarrels, which can be resolved if we do indeed "work together with that love and harmony which should at all times characterize Freemasonry". Unfortunately in some instances differences are still not resolved, and the Grand Master has taken the necessary steps to remedy the situation.

On behalf of the Ritual Committee the Grand Master announced the appointment of M.W. Bro. Donald H. Mumby as Custodian of the Work, following the resignation of M.W. Bro.C. Edwin Drew.

The Grand Master extends special thanks to Deputy Grand Master R.W. Bro Allan J. Petrisor, the Committee, who have all at one time or another occupied that office, applaud the manner in which they have served together. The recognition of Burns Lodge No.153 in Wyoming, where this masonic journey began, is readily understood.

The understanding and support of family: Sandy and sons and brothers Greg and Drew are well known and as the Grand Master acknowledges, are the reasons why we are able to be in this position today.

For all of their efforts, and on behalf of all of the members who have been the beneficiaries, we express a sincere thank you.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted on behalf of the Committee.

C. Edwin Drew, Chairman

Pursuant to Section 28, Constitution of Grand Lodge, R.W. Bro. Wayne Adams stood to speak to the motion in-so-far as it related to the ruling of M.W. Bro. G. L. Atkinson, to recommend revoking the warrant or charter of Cope-Stone Lodge No. 373.

R. W. Bro. David Jacklin, was appointed to act as Parliamentarian.

R. W. Bro. Adams presented his grounds for appeal, in support of re-instituting the warrant or charter of Cope-Stone Lodge No. 373, the Parliamentarian invited the Grand Master to reply

M. W. Bro. G. L. Atkinson stated his reasons for the decision then, pursuant to Section 29, Constitution of Grand Lodge, without further debate the question, "shall the decision of the chair be sustained" was put to the assembled brethren. The ensuing vote confirmed that it was sustained.

REPORT ON THE MASONIC FOUNDATION OF ONTARIO

To the Most Worshipful, the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren.

This Report does not appear in the Preliminary Proceedings.

It was my privilege, on Tuesday morning, to report on behalf of the Board of Directors to the 44th Annual General Meeting of the Masonic Foundation of Ontario.

Highlights of Foundation activities form an integral part of the 2007 Annual Report. I strongly recommend that you read this Report, in its entirety, to fully appreciate the diversity of activities supported and to better assist us in communicating the Foundation Story. Copies of the Report are available at the Foundation Display or from the Foundation Office in Hamilton. The Report also will be available on the Masonic Foundation Webpage at www.masonicfoundation.on.ca.

It has been most gratifying to have enjoyed the unqualified support of our Grand Master, M W Bro Gary L Atkinson, who, during the last two years, championed our efforts with passion and conviction.

Today, I would like you to join me in formally recognizing the invaluable contributions of 3 retiring Directors: James Cassie, A Douglas Nichols and C Edwin Drew, who served the Foundation with dedication and distinction. At the same time, I welcome Ed Standish from Caledon and Graeme Boyce from Toronto as incoming Directors and Donald H Mumby as a new Ex-Officio Director.

A special vote of thanks to the M and Ms, Mel Duke and Marlene Victor, the voice and face of our corporate offices in Hamilton.

Financially, we experienced a good year, where revenues exceeded expenses by \$119,484 increasing our unrestricted net assets to \$7,948,239 at March 31, 2007. Revenues from Yellow and Grey Envelopes and Bequests amounted to \$193,136. Foundation-supported programs received \$489,901 which included \$208,746 as a throughput for District Projects.

We continued our Communications efforts through an increased use of the Foundation Display, with Information Seminars province-wide in 8 cities, by supplying DDGMs with Resource Kits and by enhancing our Web page.

Looking Ahead to 2007-08, we will continue to enhance our communications efforts through 8 initiatives (identified in the Annual Report) and we will be more resolute in developing our Vision Documents to improve our “brand identity” which might serve as a “beacon for increased planned giving” and to enhance our capacity to respond to emerging social trends and needs.

As we concentrate on building a philosophical platform for the Foundation, I am ecstatic, today, in sharing with you some exciting news. In late March, your Foundation was advised that it had been named as the residual capital beneficiary of an estate and that the estimated residual value is an amount in excess of \$2,000,000. The administration of this estate is ongoing and currently is awaiting court appointment of the Estate Trustees. While the matter has not been fully resolved, it clearly demonstrates the tremendous benefit that can be realized through planned giving arrangements by Masons.

The Board of Directors earnestly solicits you, our stakeholders, to become committed

to our bold, ambitious and forward-looking planned initiatives for the betterment of future generations....*all for the cause of good.*

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the Board of Directors and Officers of The Masonic Foundation of Ontario.

SAMUEL KALINOWSKY, President

REPORT OF THE DISCIPLINE COMMITTEE

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. D. E. Jacklin, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. D. E. Jacklin, it was adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

There was one Masonic trial conducted this year resulting in a finding of guilt against the Brother involved with a penalty of indefinite suspension imposed and a recommendation that he be expelled. No appeal was taken to the Disciplinary Committee. After due consultation, the Committee recommended to the Grand Master that the Brother in question be expelled. The Committee was pleased with the way the Lodge in question dealt with this matter in accordance with the Constitution.

There were instances where the Grand Master decided pursuant to the Constitution and after full investigation and review, that matters involved were private piques and quarrels and no further action need be taken.

There was one instance where the reviewing Committee of the Lodge reviewed a complaint and found it to be unfounded.

There are presently three other matters under investigation which may require further action by your Committee.

In closing, the Committee would remind the Brethren that the provisions of the Constitution clearly set out what are Masonic offences and what steps are to be taken should a Brother wish to report it. We recommend once again that matter that can not be resolved and any other matter, only be dealt with in this fashion. Private piques and quarrels take up an inordinate amount of time and resources of your Grand Master, Grand Secretary and members of the Discipline Committee. Obviously this time could be better spent furthering the aims of our beloved craft.

The Committee wishes to express their thanks for the guidance, wisdom and generous assistance provided by our Grand Master, M.W. Bro. Gary Atkinson, and our Grand Secretary, M.W. Bro. Terence Shand.

All of which is respectively submitted.

DAVID E. JACKLIN, Chairman

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE CONDITION OF MASONRY

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. G. E. Hinds, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Hinds, it was received.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

Having reviewed the reports of the District Deputy Grand Masters 2005–2006, the following are the observations and recommendations of this committee. It would appear that the situation is unchanged with some of the lodges in our jurisdiction. They continue to face challenges that threaten their future existence as a lodge.

The three areas that are of paramount concern are:

Lodge Finances, Dues Collection, Membership Retention

Problems with lodge finances have plagued many lodges over the years, due to reduced revenues, and higher expenses through rent increases, and low returns on investments.

Recommendations: The use of Grand Lodge programmes could provide the structure needed to establish money management policies, in many lodges if ever implemented. Annual Budgets, along with Long Range Planning could prove to be the stabilizing force upon which to build.

Dues Collection

In reviewing the reports, there have been no improvements in the collection of dues over the last three years. In some cases, the outstanding amounts increased over the previous year.

Recommendation: The process of dues collection should be revised with the implementation of sending a separate invoice to each member at the beginning of the Masonic year of the lodge pointing out the present and past due amounts. This should prove to be more successful. As invoicing of bills due is a monthly practice of which we are all quite familiar. Putting a notice in the monthly summons has not been very effective.

New Membership Retention

Some lodges in recent times have reported activity in the area of new applicants wishing to become Masons. This is very encouraging for the Craft and the lodges involved.

Recommendation: In order to retain these new members, their sponsors, along with other members of the lodge, must take a more active role in their development, in making them feel welcome and part of the fraternity by being more inclusive. Invite them to sit with you in lodge. The records in lodges show that new Masons come in but they do not stay. The comfort zone is not there. “IN ORDER TO RETAIN WE HAVE TO MAINTAIN.”

Attracting New Members: It is the feeling of the committee that in order to attract new members, we as Masons should always exhibit an air of excitement when asked, “Are you a Mason?” – “Yes. Why did you ask?”

All of which is respectfully submitted on behalf of the committee members: V.W. Bro. Ian Dale, R.W. Bros. George McGowan, John Hough, Paul James, Robert McKee, Edward (Ted) Rutter, Bruce Staines, David Vojvodin, David Baerg.

GEORGE E. HINDS, Chairman

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON COMPUTER RESOURCES

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. B. E. Bond, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Bond, it was received.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

Grand Lodge Programming & Databases

In the late fall of 2006, this committee was charged by the Management Committee to update our member database and incorporate all street addresses. V.W. Bro. Donald Reekie, long-standing vice-chairman of this committee and professional programmer, surveyed the job and assumed responsibility. His sudden death this spring, while on vacation in the U.S.A., is a great loss to his family, friends and Masonry. Some of his work on this project is stored on the Grand Lodge computer and the work is being continued by new people under the direction of W. Bro. Kris Nickerson.

Grand Lodge Web Page (www.grandlodge.on.ca)

R.W. Bro. James Kirk-White, in his roll as Web master for our Grand Lodge Web site, has responsibility for the approval of the various lodge and district Web sites within our jurisdiction. This approval takes the form of an on-screen icon, awarded only when the proposed site meets all the requirements as posted in the Grand Lodge Web site. There are several items which Jim checks, but two of the items that he looks for are most important: commercial advertising and password protected areas on the proposed site. Some internet providers will give free space in exchange for advertising rights. The user of the site has no rights as to the type of advertising placed on the site and it has been noted that the I.S.P. will try to key the advertising to the proposed use of the site. This has resulted in some Masonic sites displaying pro and anti-Masonic links, as well as, inappropriate advertising. Password protected areas are not allowed so as to eliminate the impression of secrecy.

Summons via Email

As the use of a password on an electronic summons is now at the discretion of the individual lodge, it has been noted that approximately 50% of the lodges that are delivering their summons via email are applying a password.

HOST DISTRICT	DATE	WHERE HELD
Wellington – Waterloo	October 28, 2006	Cambridge
Ontario	November 8, 2006	Bowmanville
Hamilton A, B, C	November 16, 2006	Hillcrest Temple
Ontario – Victoria	November 18, 2006	Lindsay
Toronto East	January 13, 2007	Pickering
Grey	June 9, 2007	Mount Forest
Toronto York	June 16, 2007	Thornhill

In each of the seminars, it was again strongly noted that the Grand Secretary, Grand Master and D.D.G.M. MUST receive their summons in printed form and delivered by regular surface post.

Grand Lodge Forms

Several Grand Lodge forms, including the Semi-Annual Return, are posted on the net in the Grand Lodge Forms site (www.grandlodge.on.ca/forms) These forms have been removed from the Distribution CD so that updates can be readily applied and made available to all in a timely manner. The posted Semi-Annual Return, after July 2007, will be valid for the reporting dates JANUARY 2008 and JULY 2008.

Most of these forms and the Semi-Annual Return may be completed on a computer using

Adobe Reader, available as a free download from Adobe.com or from your Computer Resources Representative.

For the Semi-Annual Return, a series of rules are to be followed:

1. The form is to be printed on WHITE, ACID-FREE paper.
2. The original form MUST BE RETURNED to the Grand Lodge Office with the completed PDF form.
3. The DATES and FINANCIAL information contained on the original form MUST BE TRANSFERRED to the PDF form.

Lodge Programming

The Distribution CD for 2007–2008 contains the following files:

Acrobat Reader 6.0	Full installation program
Acrobat Reader 7.0 + Update	Full installation program
Lodge Finance Programs	Microsoft Excel and Quicken files
Helpful Utilities	Some DOS graphic conversion programs
Masonic Graphics	Square and Compasses files, etc.
Microsoft Applications	Templates for dues card creation, summons, etc.
Microsoft Works	Some templates for database, summons, etc.
Zip Programs	WINZIP
Spygraphic A	Web site recorder for the concerned parent
Pretty Good Privacy	Alternate security program
Lodge Database Program	Written by W. Bro. Robinson Moira Lodge No. 11 (New)
PC-FILE	Older DOS database application
PDF 995	Full suite of PDF995 programming and explanations
Summons	An overview of the rules, programming needed, method of preparation and reception of summonses sent by the medium of email

Visually Impaired

Those lodges who have members who are sight impaired may apply for a special CD, designed to be used with the voice synthesizer in their computer. We also distribute a copy of the Book of the Work in LARGE TYPE, on 8.5" x 11" paper.

Both of these items are available to any member who suffers sight impairment. Application to Grand Lodge for this CD or large type must be made by the lodge on behalf of the member, on lodge letterhead and signed by the Master.

- BOOK OF THE WORK 2007
- CONSTITUTION 2006, (Constitution 2007 will be made available after July 2007)
- GUIDE AND MECHANICS 1985
- MEETING THE CHALLENGE 1998

These files are password protected and formatted in Microsoft Word and Adobe format as required by the standards set down by the manufacturers of voice synthesizer equipment and approved by the C.N.I.B.

Registration

W. Bro. Kris Nickerson has revised the Registration programming to be used at Grand Lodge in July 2007, to reflect the new computers which will be in use. It was found that the old computers were not reliable enough and were prone to failure without notice. He and his volunteers will be in attendance to properly receive and tabulate the important vote data.

The members of the Computer Resources Committee, W. Bro. Kris Nickerson, V.W.

Bro. Peter Scott, R.W. Bro. James Kirk-White (Webmaster), R.W. Bro. Robert Manz and the District Representatives, wish to thank the Grand Secretary and his excellent staff for their courtesy and assistance throughout the past year.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the committee.

BRIAN E. BOND, Chairman

REPORT OF THE GRAND CHAPLAIN

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. Peter D. Tink, Grand Chaplain

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

I deem it a privilege to have been asked by the Grand Master and, through him, the brethren to serve as Grand Chaplain for 2006–2007. It has been one of the highlights of my life and is an honour for which I shall be ever grateful.

The past year has been a time of learning and of meeting and making many new friends. It has been said that the cream rises to the top. While it cannot be denied that all Masons tend to be men of good moral character, those who serve on Grand Lodge and in other positions of eminence, seem to be the best of the best. I thank all, including the Grand Master and members of my own Cedar Lodge No. 270 in Oshawa for the opportunity afforded me in coming to know them and working alongside them.

The Grand Chaplain's role in Grand Lodge is an extremely busy one. It involves travel, meetings, ceremonies and banquets. I have made an effort to attend as many of these as possible. I thank those Assistant Grand Chaplains who have filled in for me when I have been unable to attend various functions. Unfortunately, early in May a medical 'blip' grounded me for a period of time.

This probably reflects a problem faced in appointing a Grand Chaplain. If a man in active parish ministry is selected, his parish obligations demand most of his time. If a retired man is selected, health may sometimes become an issue.

Despite physical limitations, I have been able to travel widely. My wife and I have been impressed by the warm Masonic hospitality which has been extended to us across the province. While, at this date, I am unsure of the actual number of events I will be attending during my year in office, I expect them to include five Divine Services, seven amalgamations, one laying of a cornerstone, four dedications of new lodges, about 30 banquets and three Installations. I have also been privileged to be able to attend the presentation ceremonies of several William Mercer Wilson Medals and some other Masonic pins.

May the Most High bless and continue to prosper all that we do. As we each continue to grow in Masonic knowledge, my hope is that our individual lights may so shine within our respective communities that those with whom we come into contact will be moved to point an accusing finger in our direction and say, "Now, there is a Peculiar Person!"

Respectfully and fraternally submitted.

REV. PETER D. TINK, Grand Chaplain

REPORT OF THE LONG RANGE PLANNING COMMITTEE

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. P. E. Todd, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Todd, it was received.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

The following is the report of the Long Range Planning Team and it is given on behalf of its hard working members: R.W. Bro. Alfred (Alf) B. Messenger Vice-Chairman, R.W. Bros. Rudolph (Rudy) Mulack, David Salter, Robert Bouchard, Ronald Campbell, Peter Mouropoulos, William C. Sweet, William Jones, George McCowan, Robert Taylor.

The Constitution of our Grand Lodge outlines the duties of the Long Range Planning committee which are, to identify, study and assess any matters which may affect the future of Freemasonry, to prepare and present a Five-Year Plan and to make recommendations for the long term benefit of the Craft. Once again this year your Long Range Planning Committee has accepted and met these challenges.

Four objectives were approved for the Long Range Planning Committee this year and the following is the report for each objective:

The first objective of the committee was the distribution and education of our districts and lodges regarding the content and design of the Grand Lodge Strategic Plan along with the recommendation to districts and lodges to use the Strategic Plan as a template for their plan. Each committee member was assigned districts of responsibility and they then communicated with those districts via the District Deputy Grand Master to inform them they were the liaison for the Long Range Planning Committee.

In the communication they requested the name of the District Long Range Planning Chairman and upon receipt of the District Chairman's name they send them a electronic package which contained the Strategic Plan of our Grand Lodge 2005–2010 for their perusal and distribution to the lodges, it also contained the document "Welcome to the Future" which is a "how to manual" based on the Power Point presentation of the same name, which gives a step by step description of how to design a strategic plan for a district or a lodge.

Finally, each District Deputy Grand Master of the several districts were advised that the Long Range Planning Committee would be pleased to hold a Saturday morning workshop, seminar, or speak at a lodge meeting on the advantages of preparing a strategic plan for their district and or lodge of their district. Your committee is pleased to report that several districts accepted the committee's offer and workshops were held in Waterloo, Prince Edward and Toronto Districts with good participation from the brethren of those districts.

Recommendation: That each of the several districts of our Grand Jurisdiction place a higher value on the benefits of Long Range Planning, particularly the establishment of a strategic plan for each of the several districts and encouragement to the several lodges in their district about the advantages of a strategic plan for each lodge by accepting the offer of the Long Range Planning Committee to hold Saturday morning workshops or extend invitations to the Long Range Planning Committee member to speak at a lodge meeting.

The second objective of the committee was the establishment of the measurement component of the Grand Lodge Strategic Plan often referred to as the WINS chart which is similar to the measuring component of a District or Lodge Plan which use the Masonic Score Sheet.

Similar to a district or lodge, each year the Grand Lodge Committee Chairman set initiatives to improve the Key Focus Areas of the Strategic Plan of Grand Lodge. Each chairman's objectives must fall into one of the four Key Focus areas which are Fraternal

Environment, Membership Programs, Communication, and Operational Effectiveness. Once the objectives are approved by the Deputy Grand Master who is the President of the Board of General Purposes, they are tracked three times during the year, thereby giving the Board President a visual of how the work is proceeding at the Grand Lodge committee level. The WINS chart use a simple formula: Red beside the objective means the work has just begun, yellow means work is being done on the objective and green indicates that the task on that particular objective has been completed.

Districts and Lodge Strategic Plans must have a measuring component to mark success and revisited objectives which need more work. Your Long Range Planning Committee recommends the Masonic Score Sheet as a valuable tool to measure the success of a district or lodge.

The Grand Lodge WINS chart is available on the Grand Lodge Website, by following the instructions.

Recommendation: That the WINS chart of the Grand Lodge committee be given a higher visibility and easier access for two apparent reasons, first so that all brethren in general, and district chairman in particular, can see what objectives their similar Grand Lodge committees are working on and, second to see the advantage and the necessity of having a measuring component of a district or lodge strategic plan.

The third objective of the committee is outlined in the mandate of the Constitution of Grand Lodge that is to produce a Five-Year Strategic Plan. The Strategic Plan is a continuous rolling plan which is reviewed every two years for relevancy.

This being the second year of the current Five-Year Plan, the Grand Master M.W. Bro. Gary L. Atkinson along with R.W. Bro. Terry McLean and R.W. Bro. Paul E. Todd organized a one day “Think Tank” with the title “Building a Brighter Tomorrow,” in Hamilton for the purpose of reviewing the Strategic Plan for relevancy and also to identify, study and assess matters which may affect the future of Freemasonry in our Grand Jurisdiction.

Invitations were extended to all Honorary, Elected and Appointed members of the Board of General Purposes along with the editor the Ontario Mason. Not only was the Strategic Plan studied and updated two thought provoking presentations were made: the first being “Restoring the Centre” presented by R.W. Bro. Terry McLean, and the second, “The Success of Marketing” by R.W. Bro. D. Garry Dowling.

The scenarios which were discussed at the Think Tank were aptly named the Grand Masters “Hot Picks” and they covered nine areas of concern which might affect the future of our Grand Jurisdiction.

There was much discussion and recommendations were made on the following concerns: Public Awareness of our Fraternity, Development of Feedback from Masonic Lodges, Districts and Grand Lodge, Support of the Masonic Foundation, Need for a Charity of Choice, Biggest challenge to Freemasonry, Problems facing Lodges with Aging Membership, What programs of Grand Lodge are working, Membership, Demolay, Job’s Daughters, Rainbow Girls – our role with them.

An extensive report on the work of the day was prepared by the Chairman of Long Range Planning and was presented to the Grand Master, Deputy Grand Master, Grand Secretary and the Management Committee for their perusal. The Chairman of Long Range Planning also prepared a report titled, “Recommendation & Considerations,” which contained some twenty recommendations for consideration by the Grand Master, Deputy Grand Master and the Management Committee.

Recommendation re Think Tank : That the practice of holding a Think Tank Conference every two years with all Honorary, Elected, and Appointed Members invited be continued for the purpose of evaluating the Strategic Plan for relevancy and the study and assessing matters of concern to Freemasonry in Ontario be continued and that funding be put in place to return to the two-day format due to the work load that has become the standard for a Grand Lodge Think Tank.

The fourth objective for the Committee of Long Range Planning was to follow up on concerns that the Condition of Masonry Committee were able to extrapolate from last year's District Deputy Grand Master reports as it related to the lack of Long Range Planning or in the opinion of the District Deputy Grand Master that a lodge could benefit from Long Range Planning.

The committee member whose Districts of Responsibility had lodges identified in the D.D.G.M. reports contacted their districts about the report from the Condition of Masonry. This follow up by the members of the Long Range Planning Committee produced invitations from three districts to conduct workshops in their district and as mention earlier in this report the workshops were conducted in the spring of 2007.

The negative response from some lodges was the disbelief that their lodge had been mentioned in the District Deputy Grand Master report or the problem had been identified some time ago and a plan had been put in place.

Recommendation: That there be a continuing co-ordination between the committees on the Condition of Masonry and Long Range Planning so that lodges and districts with Long Range Planning concerns might be identified and assistance offered by this committee. A further recommendation would be that District Deputy Grand Master reports be computerized, so that the concerns suggested by the D.D.G.M. would be available the next day to the several chairman of Grand Lodge.

The pamphlet mentioned in last year's report of the Long Range Planning Committee to Grand Lodge, "Freemasonry Is it for Me" has after careful examination been approved for distribution. It is in an easy download format on the Grand Lodge Website <http://www.grandlodge.on.ca> first page. The pamphlet was authored by R.W. Bro. Ronald Campbell a member of this committee who after writing six discussion papers last year on a variety of subjects believed there was a need for what in the business world could be called a "cold sale," that is to say, we have pamphlets designed for the man who has shown an interest in Masonry, but the committee felt that a pamphlet was needed to hand out at public relations events etc. where a man may not have expressed an interest in Freemasonry.

Recommendation: That printing of the pamphlet "Freemasonry Is it for Me" be fully funded, so that districts and lodges would have sufficient copies to hand out at different functions which from time to time they are involved in at the community level.

The Power Point program with the catchy title taken from a Clint Eastwood western "Amalgamations, The Good, The Bad and The Ugly" has been received well by the several districts and lodges which have invited the Long Range Planning Committee to put on a Amalgamation Workshop. The program is a grass roots look at the sections of the Constitution Sections 158 to 164 which describes the process of beginning, negotiating and the conclusion either positive or negative of the amalgamation process.

Recommendation: That the several districts of our Grand Jurisdiction be encouraged to take advantage of this workshop even if no amalgamations are presently planned and that all Joint Committee of Amalgamation Chairmen meet once a year to update the program with the information they have been able to extract from their deliberations as Chairman.

The Chairman along with several other Grand Lodge Chairmen participated in the mid-term meetings of this year's District Deputy Grand Master's term, and once again the format of breakout session proved very interesting.

In closing, it is with great sadness that I must report the Long Range Planning Committee has lost this year one of its "Sparkplug" members in the person of R.W. Bro. David Salter who passed to the Grand Lodge above.

R.W. Bro. Salter's contributions to Masonry in general, and this committee in particular, will be missed. His ideas and his love of the concept of Long Range Planning are legendary to those of us who were privileged to work with him at the committee level.

All this respectfully submitted on behalf of the Long Range Planning Committee.

PAUL E. TODD, Chairman.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BENEVOLENCE

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. J. David Bell, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Bell, it was adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

Your Benevolence Committee is pleased to report that during the year ending April 30, 2007, there was disbursed in the name of benevolence, 24 grants from the Memorial Fund, totaling \$62,500.00. In addition, \$12,000.00 was paid for services provided by our Grand Lodge staff and \$8,633.00 was paid to the investment firm of Scotia Cassels Investment Counsel Limited for investment Management fees. Total expenditures were \$86,063.00. Income on investments was \$96,223.00. Donations totaling \$300.00 were received resulting in a surplus of \$10,460.00.

At the Committee's Annual meeting April 13, 2007, held at the Grand Lodge office building, your committee reviewed 12 applications. Twelve applications that came in earlier in during the year had been previously reviewed at the time of receipt.

With the help of Grand Lodge staff the revised booklet "Guide to Masonic Benevolence" was reprinted at a cost of \$2,930.00 and forwarded to the District Benevolent Chairmen for distribution to the district lodges. District Benevolent Chairmen have been provided with information on how bequeaths can be made to the Memorial Fund.

I would like to thank the District Chairmen of Benevolence that have taken an active role in the advancement of benevolence in their respective districts. I can not help, but to reiterate my comment of last year's report, we must keep it paramount in our mind that — *We are our brother's keeper.*

In conclusion, let me express the committee's appreciation for the assistance of our Grand Secretary and Mrs. Stacey Birks, for their continued support.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the committee: R.W. Bros. T. R. Davies, R. C. James, P. J. Mullen, L. W. Hammell, R. E. Kerr, J. A. R. Keith, J. W. Trousdale, K. L. Whiting, J. D. Kingston, V.W. Bros. W. A. Atkinson Sr., D. K. Bromley, R. Hilderley.

J. DAVID BELL, Chairman

CALLED OFF

Grand Lodge adjourned at 2:25 p.m.

CALLED ON

Grand Lodge resumed labour at 8:55 a.m.
on Thursday, July 19, 2007.

**REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON
AUDIT AND FINANCE**

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. T.E. Lewis, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Lewis, it was adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

The duties and responsibilities of the Committee on Audit and Finance of Grand Lodge are set forth in the Book of Constitution Section 136 (a) and the committee now reports to Grand Lodge on the discharge of these several duties and responsibilities.

GENERAL COMMENTS

On behalf of the Audit and Finance Committee of Grand Lodge, I am pleased to report that Grand Lodge experienced a successful and much improved fiscal 2006–2007. The increased per capita assessment levy is beginning to work its way into the system, which is beginning to alleviate the financial pressure that we were encountering in prior years. Expenses were well managed and well within the budget set last year. The overall result is that Grand Lodge for fiscal 2006–2007 enjoyed a consolidated excess of revenue over expenses of \$136,748.00.

As indicated in last year's report and subsequently approved by Grand Lodge, \$35,000.00 of the funds remaining from the 150th Anniversary Celebrations have been invested with Scotia Cassels Investment Counsel Limited. These funds together with the investment income earned thereon over the next twenty-five years will be used to provide funds to finance the 175th Anniversary Celebrations.

The Programme Fund continues to be under review for alternate methods of raising income. The committee understands that the calendar program will continue for 2008. In addition, under the auspice of the Programme Fund, it is proposed to re-introduce the Label Programme, which hopefully will provide much needed donations to the Programme Fund.

The Office of the Grand Secretary and in particular the Audit and Finance Committee has been approached on various occasions by lodges and brethren to inquire as to whether Grand Lodge could assist the constituent Lodges and Temple Corporations with respect to obtaining suitable insurance coverage at reasonable or group type rates. This issue is becoming more and more critical due to legal and liability concerns and increasingly high insurance premiums, which can adversely affect Lodges and Temple Corporations.

Accordingly, the Audit and Finance Committee is undertaking a project to ascertain what if anything can be done to assist the Lodges and Temple Corporations in this regard. The committee will report back to Grand Lodge.

The committee congratulates the Deputy Grand Master on his decision to introduce a

"Youth Initiatives Programme," again under the umbrella of the Programme Fund for fiscal 2007–2008. This initiative will be to not only provide financial assistance, but will provide manpower assistance to many organizations for our young people including DeMolay, Rainbow Girls, and Job's Daughters. This initiative will also include a program of child identification for children throughout the province of Ontario.

As indicated in the audited financial statements, the Programme Fund balance at April 30, 2007 amounted to \$184,846.00. Accordingly, we submit for your consideration a budget for these funds for fiscal 2008 calling for expenses of \$166,790.00. Again, the support of the membership for this valuable Programme Fund is earnestly solicited to assist in carrying out the work of Grand Lodge to benefit the constituent Lodges and Districts.

ACTIVITIES

Again, the Committee on Audit and Finance continues to review the monthly financial statements as prepared by the Grand Lodge office and compares the results of operations and financial position of Grand Lodge to budget. The results of operations and financial position compared favorably to the budget adopted last year for fiscal 2007 for the General Fund. As indicated in the audited financial statements, the statement of operations for the General Fund resulted in an excess of revenue over expenses of \$70,346.00 for fiscal 2007 as compared to an excess of revenue over expenses of \$ 52,047.00 for fiscal 2006.

The committee has once again reviewed and considered the Annual Reports of the Grand Secretary, Grand Treasurer and the Auditors' included in these annual proceedings. These reports were found to be most informative and complete in all material respects. Accordingly, the committee recommends the adoption of these reports.

INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO

The Committee on Audit and Finance continues to meet throughout the year with representatives of Scotia Cassels Investment Counsel Limited to review the Grand Lodge investment portfolio and compare revenue to budget.

The Grand Treasurer, in his report reviewed the status of the Grand Lodge Investment Portfolio. The overall Investment Portfolio of Grand Lodge as at April 30, 2007, has a market value of \$ 4,333,272.00 compared to \$ 4,210,326.00 at April 30, 2006.

The committee continues to support the mandate of 70% of our portfolio be invested in fixed income securities and 30% invested in blue chip equity securities. Given our improved financial position, Grand Lodge has drawn less funds from our investment portfolio during the last year to meet ongoing expenses.

We are pleased with the satisfactory performance of the investment portfolio and accordingly, we would recommend that Scotia Cassels Investment Counsel Limited continue to be engaged as the Grand Lodge portfolio managers and that the Investment Plan remain the same in that our investment asset mix stay at 70% debt securities and 30% equity investments.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The audited financial statements for Grand Lodge for the year ended April 30, 2007, were reviewed and discussed in detail with our auditors, Grant Thornton, L.L.P., Chartered Accountants at a recent meeting of the Audit and Finance Committee. These audited financial statements can be found elsewhere in Annual Proceedings. For the year ended April 30, 2007, your Grand Lodge experienced a consolidated excess of revenue over expenses in the amount of \$136,748.00 for fiscal 2007 compared to a consolidated excess of expenses

over revenue of \$39,604.00 for fiscal 2006.

Again, included in the expenses for fiscal 2006 were extraordinary expenses related to the 150th Anniversary celebrations in the amount of \$ 98,880.00. Adjusting for the foregoing, we in fact incurred a consolidated excess of revenue over expenses of \$59,276.00 for fiscal 2006.

This significant improvement is a direct result of the fact that the increased per capita assessments and other fee increases to Grand Lodge are starting to be enjoyed. Having said that, I would advise that although we can anticipate increased revenues in the future as a result of the increased per capita assessments, we have and will continue to take a conservative approach to budgeting expenses not only for fiscal 2008, but for future years. It is hoped that Grand Lodge will continue to enjoy surpluses into the future, which will help to offset the deficits incurred in the past.

We again congratulate the Grand Treasurer, the Grand Secretary, the Grand Master, the Chairman of the Management Committee and the members of the various Grand Lodge committees for the efficient manner in which they have managed the financial resources of our Grand Lodge.

Accordingly, the committee recommends that the audited financial statements for the year ended April 30, 2007, be adopted as submitted. We also continue to recommend the engagement of Grant Thornton, L.L.P., Chartered Accountants as our auditors.

A special thanks to our auditors, Grant Thornton, L. L. P., Chartered Accountants and in particular, Mr. Evan McDade, C. A. and their staff. for their overall assistance and interest during the year.

BUDGET 2007-2008

The Audit and Finance Committee received from the Management Committee the budgetary requirements of all the Grand Lodge committees for the ensuing year, which were carefully considered in preparing the annual budget for the Grand Lodge for the year ended April 30, 2008. These amounts aggregated \$23,295.00 together with allocations made from the Programme Fund.

The budget for the General Fund for the ensuing year is set out in the appendix to this report, which reflects anticipated revenue of \$771,250.00 and expenses of \$683,145.00 resulting in a projected excess of revenue over expenses of \$88,105.00.

As in prior years, a budget for the Special Programme Fund has been prepared, which is set out in the appendix attached to this report and reflects budgeted expenditures as mentioned of \$ 166,790.00.

The Operational and Special Programme budgets were prepared on a line by line examination based on the actual results of the previous year and giving consideration to the needs of Grand Lodge to facilitate desirable and meaningful programmes.

In accordance with Section 134(c) of the Book of Constitution, your committee submits for consideration and approval, as set out below, an estimate of the revenues and expenses as they relate to the General Fund for the year ended April 30, 2008. Your committee believes that the budget set out in this report is realistic and provides for items which can reasonably be foreseen to meet the obligations, financial responsibilities and commitments of the General Fund of Grand Lodge for the current fiscal year.

CHARITABLE DONATIONS

The Committee on Audit and Finance has also reviewed the donations made by the Grand

Master on behalf of Grand Lodge. The donations aggregated \$866.38 and were made to the Masonic Information Centre. As such, we recommend the approval of the same.

GENERAL

In conclusion, as Chairman of the Audit and Finance Committee, I particularly wish to express my thanks and appreciation to the Grand Treasurer, R.W. Bro. T. R. Davies for all his efforts and work in connection with Masonry in general and the financial affairs of this Grand Lodge in particular.

I also wish to express my appreciation to the members of the committee for their interest and involvement in the management of the financial affairs of this Grand Lodge, in the persons of M.W. Bro. G. L. Atkinson, R.W. Bros. A. J. Petrisor, T. R. Davies, J. Sutherland, S. Cohen, R. Tucker, E. Standish, N. McCarthy and P. McGrenere.

And a very special thanks to the Grand Secretary and the Grand Lodge staff for their assistance and guidance during and throughout the year.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted on behalf of the committee.

THOMAS E. LEWIS, Chairman

GRAND LODGE OF CANADA ANNUAL COMMUNICATION

COMMITTEE OPERATIONAL BUDGETS

2007—2008

NAME	Expense 2005/2006	Budget 2006/2007	Expense 2006/2007	Budget 2007/2008
Audit and Finance	168	400	194	450
Benevolence	326	800	195	900
Condition of Masonry	0	110	0	50
Library Exp.	62	2,000	116	2,000
Long Range Planning	0	250	83	450
Masonic Education	630	625	29	925
Advisory Lodge Bldgs.	0	100	0	200
Advisory Lodge Finance	0	100	0	185
Seminars/Workshops	0	20	30	400
Blood Donors	149	850	760	1,000
Constitution/Jurisprudence	58	100	0	100
Discipline	177	250	40	250
Fraternal Relations	0	50	0	50
Fraternal Correspondence	750	750	750	850
Computer Resources	1,330	2,150	1,365	1,775
Management	226	500	428	600
Public Relations	0	600	238	950
External Relations	24	550	0	0
Internal Relations	548	0	0	0
Leadership Development	0	100	0	500
Communication	0	1,000	447	1,300
Brother to Brother	0	400	0	2,730
Friend to Friend	538	700	933	905
Officer Progression	0	475	0	475
D.D.G.M. Orientation	527	600	389	1,000
Special Discretionary	398	5,000	1,662	5,000
Youth Initiatives	0	0	0	250
TOTAL	<u>5,911</u>	<u>18,480</u>	<u>7,659</u>	<u>23,295</u>

150TH ANNIVERSARY COMMITTEE BUDGET

	Expense 2005/2006	Budget 2006/2007	Expense 2006/2007	Budget 2007/2008
150 th Anniversary Expenses	98,880	0	0	0
Less recovered amounts	26,847	0	0	0
	<u>72,033</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

SPECIAL PROGRAMME BUDGETS

	Expense 2005/2006	Budget 2006/2007	Expense 2006/2007	Budget 2007/2008
Ontario Mason and E-Zine	47,952	51,000	47,556	65,000
Museum/Archives	0	0	0	1,000
Library	0	1,000	0	0
Strategic Planning Session	0	1,500	1,050	0
Workshop Equmt.	230	0	0	0
Brother to Brother	0	0	0	510
D.D.G.M. Orientation	121	0	0	0
Friend to Friend	248	700	474	1,020
Seminars – Secretaries	0	780	0	0
Long Range Planning	158	850	42	1,100
Special Events, I.P.M., Fairs	4,886	3,300	4,613	4,100
External	366	300	0	0
Internal	0	0	0	0
Masonic Education	0	1,575	971	1,500
Condition of Masonry	0	0	0	60
Management Fee - Broker	675	600	701	0
Calendars	35,993	40,000	37,340	40,000
Management fee to General Fund	11,660	11,000	10,988	11,000
Labels	0	0	0	16,500
Child I.D. Program	0	0	0	25,000
 TOTAL	 <hr/> 102,289 <hr/>	 <hr/> 112,605 <hr/>	 <hr/> 103,735 <hr/>	 <hr/> 166,790 <hr/>

SCHEDEULE OF REVENUES

	Revenue 2005/2006	Budget 2006/2007	Revenue 2006/2007	Budget 2007/2008
Initiations	15,565	18,000	20,210	18,000
Affiliations	7,080	8,200	7,110	8,200
Dues	349,912	414,000	431,804	490,000
Commutation Fee	60,000	76,000	45,000	60,000
Certificates	2,720	4,000	3,345	4,000
Dispensations	6,846	7,000	7,022	6,500
Miscellaneous	582	500	9,957	550
Book Sales	53,747	50,000	64,281	50,000
25 year Pins and 50 year Jewels	11,740	8,000	9,383	8,000
Investment Interest General	100,631	94,000	106,784	95,000
Administration Fee Memorial Fund	11,000	12,000	12,000	12,000
Administration Fee Masonic Holdings	6,000	8,000	8,000	8,000
Administration Fee Special Program Fund	11,660	11,000	10,988	11,000
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	Budget 2006/2007	Expense 2006/2007	Budget 2007/2008	Expense 2007/2008
Salaries and employees' benefits				
Rent — Office	263,878	270,000	289,058	280,400
Museum	77,000	77,000	77,000	77,000
Library	7,700	7,000	7,000	7,000
Office expenses and postage	3,300	3,000	3,000	3,000
Leased Equipment	26,029	35,000	28,500	37,000
Furniture and Equipment	5,322	8,000	7,763	8,000
Data Input/Equipment	2,036	2,500	419	3,000
Insurance	6,945	13,000	13,776	15,000
Professional fees	9,929	12,000	9,907	12,000
Grand Secretary expenses	23,000	25,000	18,000	19,000
Grand Master's expenses	2,812	3,500	2,101	3,500
Deputy Grand Master's expenses	10,000	15,000	15,000	15,000
Grand Chaplain	5,000	6,000	6,000	7,500
Grand Director of Ceremonies	750	750	750	750
Custodian of the Work	1,000	1,200	1,200	1,200
Representative to other Grand Lodges	3,144	4,000	2,890	5,500
Representative to World Conference	6,234	13,500	12,486	13,500
Conference of G.M.s of North America	0	6,000	5,636	0
Conference of G.Secs of North America	4,971	5,000	5,646	5,000
Conference of Canadian Grand Lodges	3,185	4,000	2,988	3,500
Committee expenses	4,654	5,000	2,856	4,000
Buttons and medals for resale	5,911	18,480	7,659	23,295
Honorary pins	6,143	5,000	12,815	5,000
Printing Preliminary Reports	2,755	5,000	2,312	3,000
Printing Proceedings	1,179	1,500	2,382	3,000
General expenses (Grand Lodge)	9,910	10,000	8,527	10,000
Grand Lodge Balloting	62,132	68,000	54,503	64,000
Board Meeting and misc expenses	0	0	0	7,000
Printing of materials for resale	2,827	3,500	2,822	3,500
Investment Management fee	17,797	20,000	48,326	25,000
Regalia	12,400	11,500	12,049	12,000
Miscellaneous	1,122	4,000	570	4,000
	2,029	2,500	1,596	2,500
	591,094	665,930	665,537	683,145

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE ONTARIO MASON MAGAZINE

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. R.R. Beckett, Editor, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Beckett, it was received.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

During the past year, the Ontario Mason Magazine Committee has had the privilege of producing one "Hard Copy" and one E-zine edition of the magazine.

The hard copy was published and distributed to the brethren of our fraternity utilizing the new membership data base developed by R.W. Bro. Brian Bond. This data base increased the mailing proficiency considerably, but the editor still received numerous requests for the said magazine from brethren not receiving it. It would seem that some lodge secretaries might not be forwarding members change of addresses to the Grand Secretary thus debilitating our ability to keep our records up to date.

When producing the December edition, we tried to take into account those suggestions and comments forwarded to our committee, by several members with a view to improving the publication. Judging from the very positive responses we have received regarding the current issue it would seem we are moving towards that goal of producing the very best magazine we possibly can.

We still have some concerns regarding the lack of material from several districts within our jurisdiction. Each District Deputy Grand Master was contacted with a view to establishing a magazine contact within their districts and this has started to show benefits. We targeted several specific areas with a view to increasing their input to the magazine and in general the response was positive. We continue to encourage all districts to participate in submitting material for publication.

The E-zine edition was particularly well received, not only by our own brethren, but from visitors from around the world. Although the number of "hits" per day was considerable, we were not able to determine what and how much of the material they perused. In August, the editor decided to remove the present edition from the site in order to re-format it even though we were still receiving 1400 "hits" per day.

At this juncture, discussions began with members of our Grand Lodge as to the best location for this Web site. We had two excellent sites available to us, but each seemed to have some minor drawbacks. At this moment in time we are assessing the viability and cost factors of the two sites available to the committee and further discussions will be necessary to resolve these issues.

I would like to commend the following committee members for their dedication, patience and perseverance in working with me in the compilation of the magazine: R.W. Bros. P. Farrell, J. Chamberlain, E. McGauley, W. Bros. R. McBride, S. W. Pickard, R. Price and D. Surovy. Their input and support was everything a chairman could possibly ask for.

I would also be remiss if I did not recognize the tremendous support offered by the Grand Master, the Deputy Grand Master and the Grand Secretary and his staff. Without their support, advice and encouragement our task would have been that much more difficult.

Respectfully submitted.

ROBERT R. BECKETT, Chairman

REPORT OF THE BROTHER TO BROTHER COMMITTEE

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. D. A. Hawman, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Hawman, it was received.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

VISION STATEMENT: To increase lodge membership and meeting attendance during the next five years and beyond.

MISSION STATEMENT: To enhance the “Masonic Experience” by providing all brethren with effective tools to *RETAIN, REVITALIZE and RENEW* the membership and attendance of their lodge.

This jurisdiction is not alone in trying to find a solution to the problem of decreased membership. In the Report of the Committee on Fraternal Correspondence by Chairman R.W. Bro. G. Wayne Nelson and summarized and written by R.W. Bro. Frederic R. Branscombe for the 2005–2006 year, the Grand Lodge of Nova Scotia stated at their 140th Annual Communication the following: “In its report, the Committee on the Condition of the Order warned Grand Lodge that a programme to induce former members to return is not in itself an adequate response to the problem of declining membership. The reasons for members leaving must be examined and steps taken to correct the situation. In the committee’s opinion, “A dull and boring meeting is surely one contributor to the apathy of the membership in many lodges, but it is not the only impediment we face. Negative interpersonal relationships both in lodge and outside lodge is another contributing factor. For any healthy and successful association to endure, members must have an equal opportunity to participate and be given the feeling that they are contributing to the overall benefit of Masonry.”

The Brother-to-Brother project was first presented to the brethren of the jurisdiction in September 1998 and although originally quite successful, has lost some of its luster in the recent past. After reviewing several past committee reports we can assure all that this is not due to a lack of effort by previous B-2-B committees. This is a very useful program that can assist lodges to maintain and improve their membership concerns by giving advice and examples of solutions to their similar situations. Of course the program is **Lodge-driven** and therefore the lodge and its members must participate in the solutions.

The mandate of the committee this Masonic year was to review the project in its entirety and to make recommendations for its rejuvenation among the brethren of this jurisdiction. In this regard, this committee has met on several occasions to discuss and implement our ideas after these ideas were approved by the Grand Master and the Deputy Grand Master.

Each D.D.G.M. in the jurisdiction, at the beginning of his term, received a letter from the B-2-B chairman congratulating him on his election and encouraging him to appoint a B-2-B chairman for his district. After the D.D.G.M. responded with the name of the B-2-B chairman for his district, this committee forwarded to him a letter, with the permission of the D.D.G.M., outlining his suggested duties and responsibilities. It would be a good idea for the district chairman to continue in that capacity for a number of years to provide

the continuity that this program requires.

Each D.D.G.M. has received from this committee, a reporting form which will outline to the committee what has occurred in each district regarding B-2-B this Masonic year. We asked that these be returned to the committee by the end of May. We have also contacted all known possible D.D.G.M.s for the 2007–2008 Masonic year suggesting the same Brother-to-Brother requests.

The committee believes the brethren are now in tune with free and open discussion with committee presentations and we have presented the contents of the comprehensive resource manual, currently named the Tool Kit, in this manner. Thus, the brethren participate by speaking about their lodge's perceived successes and problems. With the aid of the Tool Kit, the committee can then discuss solutions to the concerns of the lodge members. We have now created an interesting, effective and flexible format for presentation at the district or lodge level. Each member of the committee knows the program and is able to present it.

The committee has developed and printed at no cost to Grand Lodge some 1000 copies of both a B-2-B brochure and a bookmark as a handout and program reminder. We have been distributing these at our presentations. Our recommendation is that the committee continues to distribute these items and that Grand Lodge do a reprint of each item when the supply is sufficiently reduced.

The *Facilifacts* has been resurrected! A new style of *Facilifacts* has been developed. Nine issues will have been produced by the time of this Grand Lodge Communication. It is now being used as an educational and communication tool. We are committed, by this publication, to encouraging the lodges to try new things and to give us a report so we can share it with everyone. It is distributed electronically by the committee directly to more than 400 Masons in the jurisdiction, including all D.D.G.M.s and many lodge secretaries. The D.D.G.M.s, district chairmen, lodge chairmen and lodge secretaries then redirect the *Facilifacts* to their own mailing lists. We estimate that upwards of 5000 brethren in the jurisdiction now receive this publication. There was no cost to Grand Lodge for the production and distribution of same. We recommend that this publication be continued.

A new Power Point presentation has been developed and inserted on the Grand Lodge Web site. This Web page required a smaller amount of space than the previous issue and we thank the Web master, R.W. Bro. James Kirk-White for his advice and patience. We have made this presentation available on compact disc for those without the capability to download it. We recommend that this presentation be revised as the committee obtains more experience.

The committee printed 145 complete Tool Kits and distributed approximately 110 this Masonic year. There was no cost to Grand Lodge for this.

The Tool Kit of the B-2-B committee needs some revisions. It has been updated on the Grand Lodge Web site by the previous year's B-2-B committee. We suggest that a section be added addressing Lodge Amalgamations to the Long Range Planning section and a section added regarding Life Membership Funds by the Advisory Committee on Lodge Finances. The Tool Kit is in need of being "proof-read" and having corrections made to the spelling and punctuation. There are also some items referred to that don't seem to exist. We recommend that these items be addressed as soon as it is practical. We would like to continue to increase the awareness of this Grand Lodge program in the 2007–2008 Masonic year and recommend that Grand Lodge print another 100 Tool Kits

for distribution by the committee after these items have been accomplished.

The current committee has many of the brethren of the jurisdiction to thank. First, thank you to the lodges and D.D.G.M.s that invited us to speak. Without you and the brethren of your lodges and districts all our work would have been in vain.

Second, our thanks goes to R.W. Bro David Dainard of the Friend to Friend/Mentor Committee and to R.W. Bro. Charles Reid of the Officer Progression Committee. Both of these brethren, at the beginning of this Masonic year, unhesitatingly invited this committee to accompany them to many of the Grand Lodge Overview sessions that they had already confirmed. This gave our committee a place to start and helped us immensely.

Third, many thanks go to the brethren of previous Brother-to-Brother committees for laying the ground-work for this wonderful program.

Fourth, without the encouragement, advice and support of the Grand Master and the Deputy Grand Master, this committee, composed mostly of new members to the committee, would not have been able to accomplish what it has.

We suggest that this committee continue to promote the three guiding principles of the Brother-to-Brother program, **Retain, Revitalize and Renew**, while at the same time promoting the new focus of **Enhancing the Masonic Experience**.

This committee believes that it has met its mandate. The reason for this accomplishment is because the following brethren of the committee have given equally to the success of this program during this Masonic year and this report is given on their behalf: R.W. Bros. Allen Hackett, Robert Haley, David Inglis, David Snedden, and Robert Schroeder; V.W. Bros. Matthew (Sonny) Clark, Gordon Crutcher, and Iain Wates and Bro. Ian LaFleur.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

DENNIS A. HAWMAN, Chairman

REPORT OF THE D.D.G.M. ORIENTATION COMMITTEE

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. G. H. Hazlitt, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Hazlitt, it was received.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

"The rung of a ladder was never meant to rest upon, but only to hold a man's foot long enough to enable him to put the other foot somewhat higher."

In this light, the fall Orientation Sessions for prospective D.D.G.M.s serve as an additional stage in the process of furthering knowledge and refining skills as a brother prepares to embark on his year of administration within his district. In the months following the program, Aspirants to Office can seriously begin to formulate their goals and plan the year ahead.

Notwithstanding repetition, the steps leading to the Office of D.D.G.M. **as outlined in the report of 2006** are very clear. They are three-fold and begin at least three years (4/5 is best) prior to assuming office:

1. That he is very clear in his own mind that the position is right for him and

indeed, right for his family. At this point, the interested Brother should have read and digested the contents of the recently prepared booklet entitled, "Information for Prospective D.D.G.M.s."

2. That successful completion of the D.D.G.M.s Correspondence Course is an integral part of his preparations prior to the Orientation Program.
3. That he take the three hour Orientation Program in the fall preceding his election to office. Please note that the Correspondence Course should precede the Orientation Program.

In the fall of 2006, Orientation Sessions were convened in Sturgeon Falls, Oshawa, Hamilton, Mount Forest, Toledo, Toronto, and Ridgetown. These sessions were most positive for all involved. As a committee, we felt a sense of accomplishment in having been able to move the program forward.

The success of the program depends upon early action by the D.D.G.M.s as they provide those brethren interested in aspiring to the office with a copy of the booklet "Information for Prospective D.D.G.M.s." Further, their timely response with the names of potential candidates is much appreciated allowing for the preparation process to begin.

Of course, a successful program depends upon interested, enthusiastic participants. Each of the 65 aspirants who attended one of the sessions is to be commended for his desire for personal growth, in particular, and for his dedication to the Craft in general. All of this makes it truly rewarding for the committee as we become part of the growing and learning process.

Each aspirant to office and others participating are asked to critique the program, the presentation, and the evening overall. Their positive and forthright comments are much appreciated and allow this committee to grow and maintain a current program for all concerned. To this end, the following courses of action, have been adopted, and put in place:

- The Toledo Orientation Session was convened on a Saturday morning with success. It is expected that this will be the continuing trend in future, at least for the Eastern Districts.
- A program for the District Secretary has been developed to be presented in conjunction with the Orientation Session for Prospective D.D.G.M.s. This program is in the hands of the Management Committee for consideration and following approval we will look forward to implementation in the fall of 2007.

It is with regret that R.W. Bro. Richard Bennett has expressed his desire to retire from committee duties. He has contributed a wealth of knowledge and experience to the presentation and advancement of the program. It has been my sincere pleasure to share duties with Richard and on behalf of the committee, I wish all the joys of life for him and his family.

Also, it has been my privilege to have had the opportunity to work with such a dedicated and experienced committee in the persons of: R.W. Bros. Richard Bennett, Cliff Farber, Tom Keith, David Mahon, and David Snedden (Secretary). Each has been most accommodating with his time, experience, and ideas as we strived to improve the program and its presentation. Again, we thank the staff at the Grand Lodge Office for providing the requested books and computer technology for our sessions.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

GREG. H. HAZLITT, Chairman

REPORT OF THE FRIEND TO FRIEND/MENTOR COMMITTEE

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. D. R. Dainard, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Dainard, it was received.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

I am pleased to present the following report on the activities of the *Friend to Friend and Mentor Committee* as well as the program recommendations for 2007.

The committee, again this year, adopted the policy of program review, refinement, implementation and distribution, as well as, discussions on a strategy for presentations to the membership of the constituent lodges and their districts throughout this Grand Jurisdiction.

The committee recommends that a continuation of an active posture of promoting the programs be endorsed and implemented with a view to pursue and arrange independent and co-operative presentations. To this end, a letter was sent to the District Deputy Grand Masters of the jurisdiction spelling out in the clearest possible terms the availability and readiness of this committee to assist the districts of this Grand Jurisdiction with the presentation and implementation of the *Friend to Friend and Mentor* programs.

The committee compiled a CD, and I am thankful to the Deputy Grand Master, R.W. Bro. Allan Petrisor for distributing the disk and a letter encompassing the following information to the District Deputy Grand Masters at their Mid-Term Meeting in Scarborough on January 13, 2007, and the committee recommended that the material be copied and distributed to the constituent lodges of the respective districts of this Grand Lodge:

Guidelines for the D.D.G.M. for the *Friend to Friend and Mentor Programmes*

Guidelines for the District Chairmen of the *Friend to Friend and Mentor Programmes*

Guidelines for the Regional Chairman (for the Programmes)

Guidelines for the Lodge Chairman *Friend to Friend and Mentor Programmes*

Lodge *Friend to Friend Programme* Reporting Form

Lodge *Mentor Programme* Reporting Form

District Chairman *Mentor* Reporting Form

District Chairman *Friend to Friend* Reporting Form

Memory Jogger

Friend to Friend and Mentor PowerPoint Presentations

Also on the disk are the *Mentor* and *Friend to Friend* Power Point Presentations for use by the lodges and Districts.

The Friend to Friend and Mentor Programme Committee recommends that the implementation of a '**Reportable Record**,' of the activities of these programmes is essential for the continued health and growth of each lodge within the districts of this Grand Jurisdiction. In addition, the information contained in the Reporting Form/Tracking Sheets will assist this committee in the evaluation and improvement for the future growth and use of the programme(s).

The committee recommends that the program usage be promoted by the Officers of Grand Lodge and the members of the Board of General Purposes.

The committee further recommends that the Reporting/Tracking forms form an integral part of the Annual Reporting package of the District Deputy Grand Masters each year.

The program elements, reporting and tracking forms as well the Guidelines for their implementation are also available on the Grand Lodge Web site.

The Overview Sessions held this year by the host and participating districts to date stand alone and combined are as follows:

Waterloo District – Lodge Resources Session – September 30, 2006

Toronto Humber Valley – Georgina Lodge – Friend to Friend – November 11, 2006

Ontario District – Friend to Friend Event – November 25, 2006

Toronto East District – Coronati Lodge – Friend to Friend Event – December 14, 2006

Victoria District – Lindsay – Lodge Resource Session – January 20, 2007

Toronto Humber Valley District – Lodge Resource Resources Session – March 3, 2007

Prince Edward District – Frankford – Lodge Resources Session including Long Range Planning – April 7, 2007

Temiskaming District – Tuesday, April 24, 2007 at the Kirkland Lake Masonic Hall

Sudbury-Manitoulin District – Wednesday, April 25, 2007 at the Sudbury Masonic Hall

Nipissing East District – Thursday, April 26, 2007 at the North Bay Masonic Hall

Muskoka-Parry Sound District – Friday, April 27, 2007 at the Huntsville Masonic Hall

Ontario District – Mentor Session – Oshawa – May 3, 2007

Algoma District – Saturday, May 26, 2007 at the Thunder Bay Masonic Hall

The committee has formed two ad hoc committees to review the presentation elements of both programs and make recommendations back to the full committee once their review is complete.

The DVD has been edited to include a more accurate accounting of the total number of masons and lodges in this Grand Jurisdiction, and the Ideals of a Freemason have been added, and the material has been approved by the Custodian of the Work, M.W. Bro. C. Edwin Drew.

An order for one hundred (100) of both the DVD – *Freemasonry in Ontario* and the CD – *What is Freemasonry?* has been given to V.W. Bro. Ric Simpson for production. The Chairman is pleased to note that the Grand Master, M.W. Bro. Gary Atkinson, as well the Deputy Grand Master, R.W. Bro. Allan Petrisor, have extended to V.W. Bro. Harvey Hackland their appreciation, for his efforts in providing the expertise in the editing and master disk production of the DVD to which I also add my thanks and that of the committee.

The current DVD, although acceptable for distribution and sale at the present time, reflects the scripting and material that is now twelve years old and needs to be redone and as such, I have requested that R.W. Bro. John McKaig explore the production costing and elements necessary to complete a new edition of the DVD for presentation to the Management Committee and the Board of General Purposes for approval.

I am indebted to the District Deputy Grand Masters of the Grand Jurisdiction for their unqualified support and understanding for the continuance of these vital programs and their recognition of the necessity to complete and return the reporting forms as a

measurement tool of program usage to this committee.

Those lodges which report Friend to Friend Programme implementation throughout the jurisdiction have seen an increase in lodge membership, as well as, the enhancement of knowledge and awareness of Masonry in the communities in which those lodges are resident and I congratulate them.

I would be remiss if I did not recognize the Grand Secretary, M.W. Bro. Terry Shand and the staff of Grand Lodge office for their continued support and assistance to this committee for which I, as Chairman, am grateful. Also, a special thank you to R.W. Bros. Charles Reid, Chairman of the Officer Progression Committee, Dennis Hawman, Chairman of the Brother to Brother Program, Paul Todd, Chairman of Long Range Planning, and the members of their respective committees for their unstinting support and co-operation this year in providing a co-operative blend of program presentations at the Lodge Resources Sessions.

It has been an honour and my great pleasure to serve as chairman of the *Friend to Friend and Mentor Committee* and I am truly thankful, for having such a dedicated and devoted team in the persons of R.W. Bro. John Hay, Vice-Chair, R.W. Bros. William Reiach, Will Holden, Mike Kingsley, Wah Chung, John McKaig, Dirk Scheeringa, Kim McGeagh, David B. Wilde, Herb Visser, and V.W. Bros. Robert Lindsay, Ric Simpson, Steve McCarthy and W. Bro. Robert Ough who contributed so much of their valuable time and talents to the efforts of the committee this year.

It is imperative that the use of these Programme(s) be communicated at every level of Grand Lodge, and on every opportunity and occasion throughout the Districts of the Grand Jurisdiction, now and in the future.

All of which is respectfully submitted on behalf of the Friend to Friend and Mentor Committee.

DAVID R. DAINARD, Chairman

REPORT OF THE OFFICER PROGRESSION COMMITTEE

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. C. H. M. Reid, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Reid, it was received.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

The officer Progression Programme is directed to all line Officers. The aim of the programme has not changed – to enable an Officer to plan and prepare his journey to the chair of Worshipful Master and the responsibility of that high office. To accomplish this aim, the programme is made up of three subject papers: Leadership, Protocol & Etiquette and the Worshipful Master's Chair, followed by a group discussion on the papers and a question and answer period.

From the period of September 2006 until May 2007, the following workshops will have been held in conjunction with the Friend to Friend and Mentor's Committee:

September 20, 2006 – Kitchener, Waterloo District

January 20, 2007 – Lindsay, Victoria District
March 3, 2007 – Etobicoke, Toronto West and Toronto Humber Valley Districts
March 17, 2007 – Scarborough, Toronto Don Valley and Toronto East Districts
April 7, 2007 – Frankford, Prince Edward District
April 24, 2007 – Kirkland Lake, Temiskaming District
April 25, 2007 – Sudbury, Sudbury Manitoulin District
April 26, 2007 – North Bay, Nipissing East District
April 27, 2007 – Huntsville, Muskoka-Parry Sound District
May 26, 2007 – Thunder Bay, Algoma District

February 10, 2007 – Hanover, Bruce District Workshop was cancelled due to unsafe driving conditions.

The positive remarks received have been very encouraging!

Recommendations:

- Continue to contact new D.D.G.M.s and advise them of the programme.
- Increase Lodge and/or District workshops on week nights.
- Continue to increase attendance of Wardens and Deacons.
- Continue to offer Grand Lodge publications where needed.
- Continue handouts on useful information.

I would like to acknowledge the effort and time put forth by R.W. Bros. James Aide, Ken Campbell, William Elliott, Bruce McLennon, James Parker, Thomas Warner, V.W. Bros. William Brimer, Len Hartin and W. Bro. Brian Griffin.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the committee.

CHARLES H. M. REID, Chairman

REPORT OF THE COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. D. A. Conway, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Conway, it was received.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

On behalf of the Communications Committee, it is my pleasure to submit the following report:

The committee served again this year as an additional communications source of Grand Lodge. The mandate of the committee is to:

Mandate: *Act as an effective communications source between Grand Lodge, the Districts, and Lodges of our jurisdiction.*

The following are the highlights of our year:

1. The committee was a source for names of Grand Lodge Elected and Appointed Officers, their addresses, phone numbers, email addresses and mailing labels.

Postage labels and email addresses were made available. This information was distributed as soon after Grand Lodge as possible.

2. The committee was responsible for obtaining, converting to Adobe format and distributing via email, the Trestle Boards of the current D.D.G.M.s. I am pleased to report that again, all 44 D.D.G.M. Trestle Boards were received and sent out. R.W. Bro. Barry Snider extracted the District Committee Chairmen and their addresses and made them available on a spreadsheet. A special thank you is extended to R.W. Bro. Don Hamilton, D.D.G.M. of Wellington District who gathered all the D.D.G.M. Official Visits to their Mother Lodge, the place and time and this too was distributed. The availability of these tools along with "What's Happening" on the Web Page made the job of planning for and traveling in the jurisdiction much easier.
3. The committee maintained various email distribution lists and sent out on a regular basis the current Itinerary of the Grand Master and the Deputy Grand Master and desired announcements from Grand Lodge Officers and Committee Chairmen, as well as, notices of other newsworthy events. It was a very busy year with over 115 email distributions sent averaging over ten a month. In the two years this service has been performed, no one has been in contact asking to be removed from the list. In fact, there are just regular additions made.
4. V.W. Bro. Don Reekie continued to maintain the Grand Lodge Web link of "What's Happening." Most data is derived from the D.D.G.M. Trestle Boards, but special event announcements were also added as they are a Grand Lodge or District event. It is with great sadness, that I report the sudden passing on March 27, 2007, of V.W. Bro. Reekie. His steady, accurate and timely work for our committee was always to be relied on and will be greatly missed.
5. The committee under the capable care of R.W. Bro. Jim Sercombe administered the Awards Program for Lodge Summons, Lodge or District Newsletters and Web sites. Again this year, an award winner was selected along with a merit winner from those submissions made by our D.D.G.M.s. The winners for this year are as follows:

Category	Winner	Merit Winner
Lodge Summons	Kilwinning Lodge No. 565 Toronto West District	Jerusalem Lodge No. 31 Ontario District
Lodge or District Newsletter	The District Ashlar Frontenanc District	Bright Morning Star Toronto Don Valley District
Lodge or District Website	Niagara District A	Hamilton District C

Recommendations:

- Continue to promote communications from all sources.
- Maintain distribution lists and addresses.
- D.D.G.M.s are encouraged to appoint a District Communications Chairman who can get information to the committee for distribution or publication.

Encourage D.D.G.M.s to submit their recommendations for communication recognition.

Summary

Of course, no committee can run without the valuable contribution of its members. Their efforts are especially appreciated. Our committee members are: R.W. Bros. A. T. Burns, A. Dvorak, W. M. Malmo, R. F. Manz, J. Sercombe, B. Snider, V.W. Bro. D. Reekie and W. Bro. C. Deacon. The services provided by the Communications Committee came into being because of the many requests for improved communications. We provide another Masonic connection between brethren to get the news out.

All of which is respectfully submitted on behalf of the committee.

DOUGLAS A. CONWAY, Chairman

REPORT OF THE LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. N. G. McCarthy, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. McCarthy, it was received.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

Leaders don't just happen. Experience and training help to develop the skills necessary for our future. In order to facilitate this advancement, our Grand Master and Deputy Grand Master created this Special Committee to specifically address the leadership development of the members of the Board of General Purposes. Ultimately, this will strengthen our Grand Lodge and those seeking higher office.

At the conclusion of this Annual Communication and within the previous 24 months there likely will be a turnover totalling approximately one third of the membership of this board. Over the last ten years only seven members of the board remain active. Change is beneficial as it brings with it fresh ideas and removes complacency, but can be troublesome to continuity and succession planning.

In order to assist those new members acclimatize themselves to their new duties, this committee has been developing a Reference Guide that contains a variety of topics, duties and responsibilities (as a member of the board and as a committee chairman); development of a committee budget; brief overviews of the committees of Grand Lodge, protocol and etiquette, standard of dress, team building, programs and publications, concerns and considerations and how to respond to the media. In the past, a freshman to the board relied on word of mouth or hopefully a mentor to direct him.

At the beginning of our Masonic year we held the first Orientation Session for the new members. This event included an opportunity to become familiar with the Grand Lodge office and its operations, along with a chance to become familiar with the staff and discuss their respective roles and responsibilities. A copy of the Reference Guide was presented to each along with explanations of the various sections. From the responses received from those seven participants, they have indicated that the exercise was worthwhile. This committee recommends the continuance of these sessions as soon after the Annual Communication as possible.

In addition to the orientation session, five other objectives were set out by the committee to be developed this year with the following now completed and incorporated into our Reference Guide:

- The five stages of forming a committee and team building
- A summary of the duties of a committee chairman and a chart indicating committee deadlines
- A simple outline of suggestions on how to deal with the media

A further item is related to critical leadership competencies. More research will be required if these competencies are to become proactive in the recruitment of qualified individuals and identifying the potential of board members. This committee recommends that it work jointly with the Management Committee to develop a model to meet the needs of succession planning.

A skills inventory worksheet has been developed to list a board member's academic or professional life experience and personal interests, as well as served outside of Masonry. Pending a legal opinion and recommendations, this committee further recommends the implementation of this form to be completed by each member of the board which would be held in trust and confidence within the Grand Secretary's office. The purpose of this information would be to assist our Grand Master and the Deputy Grand Master to match talents with the needs of our Grand Lodge. Once this system is in place, the committee suggests that the nominees for election to the board complete a worksheet and submit it with their nomination form.

Beyond those objectives already outlined, this committee has challenged itself with one more task. Over the last number of years, approximately half of members of the Board of General Purposes have been called on to act as chairman of a joint committee for the merger of two or more lodges. We determined it would be prudent to create a new section in the Reference Guide to provide a summary of the role of a chairman of the joint committee and the process of amalgamation. This topic will be the focus of our workshop this year with the members of the Board of General Purposes.

The committee invites suggested topics for the further development of board members or addition to the Reference Guide.

In closing, appreciation is extended to R.W. Bro. Tom Lewis, Chairman of Audit and Finance and to R.W. Bro. John Green, Chairman of Public Relations for their contributions to the Reference Guide. A simple thank you seems inadequate to describe the dedication and contributions the following committee members have presented: R.W. Bros. Scott Drummond, Dave Wood, W. Bros. Larry Barrett, Jim Thornton along with advisor R.W. Bro. Terry McLean.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the committee.

NORMAN G. McCARTHY, Chairman

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. K. L. Schweitzer, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Schweitzer, it was adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

Your Committee on Credentials begs to report: There are on the Register of Grand Lodge Warranted Lodges represented at this Communication:

By Regular Officers	400
By Proxies	112
By Past Masters	41
TOTAL LODGES REPRESENTED	553
TOTAL NUMBER OF DELEGATES REGISTERED	2,534
WITH A TOTAL VOTE OF	3,345

All of which is fraternally submitted.

KENNETH L. SCHWEITZER, Chairman

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF SCRUTINEERS

This Report, presented by W. Bro. George Benton, Chairman, was received and approved on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by W. Bro. Benton.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

We have counted the ballots deposited in the ballot boxes under our control in accordance with the instructions given to us by the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario. The ballots therein show the results of the election as follows:

• Grand Master	Allan J. PETRISOR
• Deputy Grand Master	Raymond DANIELS
• Grand Senior Warden	Ronald Herbert BIVENS
• Grand Junior Warden	W. David ARMSTRONG
• Grand Registrar	Edmund GOLDTHORP
• Board of General Purposes:	
•	Thomas Wallace HOGEBOOM
•	Donald Alexander CAMPBELL
•	Paul Edward TODD
•	John Cameron GREEN
•	George Edward HINDS
•	David James CAMERON
•	Douglas Alfred CONWAY

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the committee.

GEORGE F. BENTON, Chairman

THANKS

The Grand Master extended his sincere thanks to R.W. Bro. Kenneth L. Schweitzer, Chairman of the Committee on Credentials, their committee personnel; and W. Bro. George F. Benton, Chairman of the Committee of Scrutineers, and their personnel.

The Grand Master declared the above brethren duly elected.

AWARDS COMMITTEE

(William Mercer Wilson Medal)

M.W. Bro. D. I. Greenwood was appointed a member of the Awards Committee for a further term of three years.

REPORT OF THE GRAND HISTORIAN

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. Wallace McLeod, Grand Historian, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. McLeod, it was received.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

Once again, it is appropriate that the Grand Historian should express his gratitude to the Grand Master, for honouring him with this title. According to the *Book of Constitution*, one of the duties assigned to this office is to record matters that are connected with the history of Freemasonry in Ontario.

As Cicero, the Roman orator and philosopher, tells us, "Not to know what happened before you were born is to be always a child." (*Nescire autem quid antequam natus sis acciderit, id est semper esse puerum.*) That is one of the reasons that we have to study history. And over a century ago, our Grand Lodge created the office of "Historian of Grand Lodge," which has now evolved into "Grand Historian." It might be worthwhile to look briefly at the brethren who have been granted that title over the years, and to summarize their work. For many years the *Book of Constitution* said, "A Historian of Grand Lodge shall be elected by open vote, and shall hold office during the pleasure of Grand Lodge," and "the Historian of Grand Lodge shall from time to time compile and preserve a record of all matters connected with the history of Grand Lodge."

The first one to hold that office was John Ross Robertson. He was born in Toronto in 1841. He became a newspaperman, and founded the (Toronto) *Evening Telegram*, of which the first edition was published on April 18, 1876. (The newspaper survived for 95 years, until October 30, 1971.) He was initiated into Masonry in King Solomon's Lodge No. 22, Toronto, in 1867, at the age of 25. He was Worshipful Master of Mimico Lodge No. 369, in 1880. He became Grand Senior Warden in 1882, District Deputy Grand Master for the Toronto District in 1886, and Grand Master in 1890. During his term of office, he visited all 232 lodges in the jurisdiction. In 1883 he purchased King Solomon's Plot in Mount Pleasant Cemetery, to provide burial space for indigent Masons. He donated vast sums of money to the Hospital for Sick Children and its subsidiaries, including the Lakeside Home for Little Children. But his greatest service to the Craft was in his research and writing. His *History of Freemasonry in Canada*, in two volumes, was published in 1899, and it is still indispensable for our early history. He was chosen as Historian of Grand Lodge in 1900, and continued in that office until his death. John Ross Robertson passed away at his home in Toronto on May 31, 1918, at the age of 76.

Edward Betley Brown was born in 1856, in Toronto, the son of John Gordon Brown (1827–1896), a junior partner in the *Toronto Daily Globe*; Edward was also the nephew of George Brown (1818–1880), the founder of *The Globe* newspaper in 1844, and one of the "Fathers of Confederation." Edward received his B.A. from the University of Toronto in

1877, and was named King's Counsel (K.C.) in 1898. He was initiated in St. Andrew's Lodge No. 16, and served as District Deputy Grand Master for East Toronto in 1902. At the decease of John Ross Robertson, R.W. Bro. Brown became Historian of Grand Lodge in 1919, and he served until his death. He gave a report on "The History of our Own Grand Lodge: A Sketch," which was published in the *Proceedings of Grand Lodge* in 1920, on pages 275-283. He prepared the text of Fraternal Reviews from 1920 to 1922. He died on 10 July 1935.

Walter Stevens Herrington was born in 1860, in Prince Edward County. He was a lawyer; he graduated from Victoria College, and Osgoode Hall, in 1886, and was named K.C. in 1901; he served as Historian for Law Society of Upper Canada. He was initiated in Union Lodge No. 9, in Napanee, in 1890, and was Worshipful Master for several years (1894-98, 1901, 1904). He became District Deputy Grand Master of Prince Edward District in 1905, and served on the Board of General Purposes from 1917 to 1947, being elected as Grand Master 1931-1932. He was a notable historian, and wrote the *History of the County of Lennox and Addington* (Toronto, 1913). He also wrote the *History of the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario 1855-1930* (Hamilton, 1930). An updated version was planned for the Centennial year (1955), and Bro. Herrington composed four of the chapters in it. (The remaining nine chapters were done by Bro. Roy Stanley Foley, a teacher of English at Danforth Technical School in Toronto, and a member of University Lodge No. 496, Worshipful Master in 1943, and Grand Steward in 1951; he lived 1887-1983). M.W. Bro. Herrington was named Historian of Grand Lodge after the death of Edward Betley Brown in 1935, and served until his death. He died on 16 July 1947.

Apparently, M.W. Bro. Herrington was the last "Historian of Grand Lodge," and the office was not continued after his death. Then in 1980 it was revived, as an annual appointment by the Grand Master, with the title of Grand Historian. So let us look briefly at the various brethren who have held that title.

Wallace McLeod was born in Toronto in 1931. He earned his Ph.D. in Classics from Harvard, and taught at the Victoria College in the University of Toronto. He was initiated in Mizpah Lodge No. 572, Toronto, in 1952, and served as Master in 1969. He edited *Whence Come We? Freemasonry in Ontario 1764-1980*, and was appointed Grand Historian in 1980 by M.W. Bro. N.R. Richards; he has served in that office for 22 of the last 27 years. His reports have been printed in the *Proceedings of Grand Lodge*, on the following topics:

- 1981: A Report on Masonry in Upper Canada in 1837;
- 1982: Freemasons in Public Life;
- 1983: no report printed (on instruction from the Grand Master, M.W. Bro. H.O. Polk);
- 1986: The Presentation of a Grand Lodge Certificate;
- 1990: Background of the Masonic Foundation;
- 1991: The Effect of Inflation on Fees and Dues;
- 1992: Prince Hall and PHA Masonry;
- 1993: On the Rituals used in Canada;
- 1994: On the Size of the Districts in our Jurisdiction;
- 1995: On the D.D.G.M.s Reports;
- 1996: Selected Sources for the Ritual;
- 1997: Elijah Crocker Woodman (1797-1847);
- 1998: The Scarborough Manuscript;
- 1999: Masonic Education and Research Bodies;
- 2000: Masonic Symbolism;

- 2001: Literary References to Masonry;
- 2002: United Empire Loyalist Freemasons;
- 2003: Josiah Henson (1789–1883);
- 2004: William George Storm (1826–1892);
- 2005: The Heritage Lodge No. 730;
- 2006: Our 150th Anniversary Celebration and its Predecessors.

James John Talman was born in 1904, in Beira, Mozambique, in southeastern Africa. He earned his Ph.D. from the University of Toronto in 1930, and was Chief Librarian and then Professor of History at the University of Western Ontario for many years. (One section of the archives of his university is called the J. J. Talman Regional Collection.) And every year the Ontario Historical Society presents the J. J. Talman Award, to the author of an outstanding book on the social, economic, political, or cultural history of the province. In 1946, for the Champlain Society, Professor Talman edited *Loyalist Narratives from Upper Canada*. He was initiated into Masonry in University Lodge No. 496, Toronto, in 1930; he affiliated with Tuscan Lodge No. 195, London, in 1949, and at once was chosen as its Worshipful Master. He was elected as Grand Senior Warden in 1959; he served on the Board of General Purposes, 1962–1972, and as an Honorary Member, 1972–1983. He was Chairman of the Committee on the Fraternal Dead, 1963–1971, and was a Director of the Masonic Foundation, 1965–1981. He wrote a "Historical Sketch to Commemorate the Sesqui-Centennial of Freemasonry in the Niagara District, 1792–1942," which was reprinted in the book *Bicentennial Anniversary* (1992). He also wrote a number of chapters in various publications of Grand Lodge, such as "Suggestions for Instructors," and "The Egyptian Mysteries," in the *Manual* (1948), "Let there be Light!: How to read Masonic History," in *Beyond the Pillars* (1973), and "The Nature of Pioneer Masonry," in *Whence Come We?* (1980). He prepared the Fraternal Reviews, 1961–1977. He was appointed as Grand Historian, 1983 by M.W. Bro. R. E. Groshaw, but apparently due to his advanced age he was unable to present a report. He died on 21 November 1993.

Frederic Ray Branscombe was born in 1914, in Moncton, N.B. He received his Ph.D. in Educational Communication from New York University, and taught for many years at Weston Collegiate Institute in Toronto. He was initiated in Zeta Lodge No. 410, in 1939, and served as Worshipful Master in 1969. He became District Deputy Grand Master of Toronto District 7 in 1971. His books include *Scottish Rite Freemasonry in the Valley of Toronto: The Story of its First Century* (Toronto, 1980), and *Zeta: A Centennial Celebration, 1885–1985* (Toronto, 1985). He prepared the Fraternal Reviews for our Annual Communications, as collaborator in 1990, and as sole reviewer 1991–2006. He was appointed Grand Historian in 1984, by M.W. Bro. R. E. Groshaw, and he delivered a report on the Preservation of Old Documents, which was published in the *Proceedings* (1985) 92–93.

George Edward Zwicker was born in 1922, in Mahone Bay, N.S. He was initiated in 1969, in Corinthian Lodge No. 101, Peterborough, and served as its Worshipful Master in 1979, and was also Master of Heritage Lodge No. 730, in 1982. He became Grand Steward in 1985, and was appointed Grand Historian in 1986 by M.W. Bro. A. L. Copeland. He delivered a report on Lodge Histories, and the Preservation of Records, which was published in the *Proceedings* (1987) 212–214. He died on 5 October 2002.

David James Broomhead was born in 1916. He was initiated in 1943, in Lorne Lodge No. 622, Chapleau. He was elected District Deputy Grand Master of Nipissing West District

in 1954, and was appointed as Grand Historian in 1987 by M.W. Bro. W. R. Pellow. In the *Proceedings* for 1988, we were told that "Due to a serious illness currently plaguing R.W. Bro. D. J. Broomhead, no report was received from the Grand Historian." He died on 23 August 2002.

Howard Frederick Warren was born in 1928. He was initiated in 1955 in Harmony Lodge No. 370, in Philipsville, and served as Worshipful Master in 1977. He was appointed as Grand Historian in 1988 by M.W. Bro. W. R. Pellow, and his report On District and Lodge Histories was published in the *Proceedings* (1989) 114–115.

It is not always easy to write about historical matters, and so it may be worthwhile to remember these brethren. Our jurisdiction has of course produced many great historians, but in this report we have limited our summary to those who were given the title of Grand Historian, or something similar.

Sources of information: Who's Who in Canada, Canadian Men and Women of Our Time, Constitution of Grand Lodge, Proceedings of Grand Lodge, Proceedings of Heritage Lodge, Proceedings of the Canadian Masonic Research Association, Whence Come We?, The Cause of Good, the internet, and the Office of the Grand Secretary.

All of which is respectfully and fraternally submitted.

WALLACE McLEOD, Grand Historian

PRESENTATION OF NOTICE OF MOTION

The following Notices of Motion were presented on the floor of Grand Lodge and duly adopted.

At the Annual Communication, held on Wednesday, July 18, 2007, the following amendments to the Constitution were approved.

Section 210 amended by renumbering Section 210 (a) and a new subsection (b) be added to read:

210. (b) Restoration in the lodge from which a member was originally suspended, under the jurisdiction of this Grand Lodge or any Grand Lodge recognized by this Grand Lodge automatically results in restoration in all lodges under the jurisdiction of this Grand Lodge from which the member was reciprocally suspended.

Section 410.1 (a) amended to read as follows:

410.1 (a) A member against whom a charge of unmasonic conduct is pending or proceedings are ongoing pursuant to Part IV of the Constitution may, at any stage of the proceeding, make a request in writing including an acknowledgment that he is bound by Section 425(b) relating to Restoration after Suspension and without giving reasons, addressed to the Secretary of the lodge in which the charge is pending or the proceeding is ongoing, that a Certificate of Severance be issued to him. Upon the receipt of the request, the Secretary shall forthwith transmit the request to the Grand Secretary. The Grand Secretary shall, upon receipt of the request and upon written direction from the Chairman of the Committee on Discipline, issue a Certificate of Severance in a form prescribed by Grand Lodge.

Section 418 (a) amended to read as follows:

Section 418 (a) If the residence of the brother is known, and he resides within a forty kilometer radius of his lodge, he shall be served personally;

Section 418 (b) amended to read as follows:

Section 418 (b) If the residence of the brother is unknown or he resides outside a forty kilometer radius of his lodge or for any other reason he cannot be served personally, he may be served by sending the document by prepaid first class mail addressed to him at his last known address.

INSTALLATION

M.W. Bro. Gary L. Atkinson to conduct the installation.

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS

The Grand Secretary read the names of the following brethren who had been selected in the various districts to serve as District Deputy Grand Masters.

Algoma	Eric N. Johnson	Thunder Bay
Algoma East	Alexander C. Solomon	Blind River
Brant	Jack L. Herron	Brantford
Bruce	Robert J. Lesperance	Allenford
Chatham	Peter A. Japp	Chatham
Eastern	J. D. (Jack) Tousaw	Prescott
Erie	Andrew Dobbie	Kingsville
Frontenac	J. William Bowick	Sharbot Lake
Georgian North	Stanley Connors	Collingwood
Georgian South	Harry Welsh	Innisfil
Grey	F. Allan McEachern	Arthur
Hamilton A	Zavar T. Byramjee	Oakville
Hamilton B	Robert J. Brooks	Grimsby
Hamilton C	R. James Stewart	Binbrook
London East	John E. Stevens	London
London West	Robert A. Day	London
Musk-Parry Sound	Harold J. Johnson	Huntsville
Niagara A	Stewart Greavette	St. Catharines
Niagara B	Frank Granville	Niagara Falls
Nipissing East	Rene P. Carlson	Warren
North Huron	John R. Nancekivell	Kinkardine
Ontario	Iain L. Oliver	Courtice
Ottawa 1	Donald E. Healey	Stittsville
Ottawa 2	John A. Saunders	Kemptville
Peterborough	Robert C. McBride	Indian River
Prince Edward	Harry Danford	Springbrook
St Lawrence	Todd H. Ferguson	Prescott
St Thomas	Gerald A. Pinnegar	St. Thomas
Sarnia	Paul D. Brown	Strathroy
South Huron	Donald E. Symons	Clinton
Sudbury-Manitoulin	Edward Rennie	Sudbury
Temiskaming	Lester J. Cudmore	Porcupine
Toronto Don Valley	Michael J. McKenna	North York
Toronto East	Elroy J. MacKinnon	Pickering
Toronto Humber Valley	G. Robert Barker	Mississauga

Toronto West	Andres R. Penaflor	Mississauga
Toronto York	C. Rea Gibson	Norval
Victoria	Bill Storry	Cannington
Waterloo	Ronald E. Small	Cambridge
Wellington	J. Paul Johnson	Guelph
Western	Daniel W. Johnson	Rainy River
Wilson North	J. Kevin Smith	Woodstock
Wilson South	Dennis W. Cook	Tillsonburg
Windsor	Geoffrey C. Perry	Windsor

Following the presentation of the D.D.G.M.s at the Altar and their confirmation by the Grand Master, they were then obligated and invested by M.W. Bro. D. H. Mumby. The D.D.G.M.s were then introduced and presented individually to the Grand Master and Deputy Grand Master.

APPOINTMENT OF GRAND CHAPLAIN

The Grand Master announced the appointment of W. Bro. Gordon J. Simmons as the Right Worshipful Grand Chaplain.

INVESTITURE OF OTHER OFFICERS

The other Grand Lodge Officers were then invested under the direction of M.W. Bro. Gary L. Atkinson: the Grand Senior Warden by M.W. Bro. T. Shand; the Grand Junior Warden by M.W. Bro. C. E. Drew; the Grand Chaplain by M.W. Bro. R. E. Davies; the Grand Registrar by M.W. Bro. T. Shand; and the Grand Director of Ceremonies by M.W. Bro. D. I. Greenwood.

APPOINTED MEMBERS OF THE BOARD

R.W. Bro. Robert J. Cresswell	St. Thomas
R.W. Bro. Lloyd W. Hammell	Tara
R.W. Bro. S. Weston Libbey	Cornwall
R.W. Bro. Giles O. Loshaw	Athens
R.W. Bro. Charles H. Reid	Etobicoke
R.W. Bro. Alan Tibbetts	Fort Frances
R.W. Bro. Robert R. Beckett	Barrie for one year
V.W. Bro. William A. Atkinson Sr	Amherstburg

APPOINTMENTS TO OFFICE

Grand Dir of Ceremonies	R.W. Bro. Leo Witmer	Woodstock
Grand Senior Deacon	V.W. Bro. Rory Jones	Hamilton
Grand Junior Deacon	V.W. Bro. Robert J. McMaster	Grimsby
Grand Supt of Works	V.W. Bro. Dean William Evans	Claremont
Assistant Grand Secretary	V.W. Bro. Alexander McPherson	Lancaster
Assistant Grand Dir of Cers	V.W. Bro. Howard Sims	Thamesford
Assistant Grand Chaplain	V.W. Bro. Johnny Chua	Thornhill
Assistant Grand Chaplain	V.W. Bro. James King	Belleville
Assistant Grand Chaplain	V.W. Bro. Ralph Botting	Bolton

Assistant Grand Chaplain	V.W. Bro. Carm Smith	Port Rowan
Assistant Grand Chaplain	V.W. Bro. Bernard Silcox	Hamilton
Grand Sword Bearer	V.W. Bro. Paul Masters	London
Grand Organist	V.W. Bro. Ted Key	Thornhill
Assistant Grand Organist	V.W. Bro. Don Prideaux	Woodstock
Grand Pursuivant	V.W. Bro. Peter Miles	Port Perry

Very Worshipful Grand Stewards

Garry W. Aiken	Markdale	Arthur J. Madore	Gore Bay
Brett Allan	Stoney Creek	Michael Major	Elk Lake
Ronald H. Ashworth	Ottawa	Oswald Mathurin	Bowmanville
Paul Attwood	Mississauga	William H. McKnight	Tillsonburg
William L. Barnett	London	James F. McLean	Toronto
Britten Barton	Thunder Bay	Andrew McMahon	Meadford
Gerald E. Blackburn	Creemore	Archibald McQuilkie	Hamilton
Robert E. Brewster	London	Norman Mills	Midland
Michael M. Bulguryemez	Thornhill	John C. Moncrieff	Chesley
Steven Clements	Wheatley	C. Forbes Neale	Barrie
Thomas L. Collins	Harriston	Ross A. Nicholson	Warkworth
Edgar D. Connell	Delta	James E. Paget	Owen Sound
Dwight Coughlan	Ilderton	Allan E. Parsons	Campbellville
Kenneth J. Cranston	Leamington	James W. Peacock	Leamington
Roy M. Cummings	Hamilton	A. Edward Poolton	Waterloo
Frederick Curry	Woodstock	William A. Porter	St. Marys
Robert J. Dell	St. Catharines	Harry A. Pysklywec	Kirkland Lake
Juan Jose Delmas	Toronto	John D. Roberts	Norwich
Ernest Ellis	Millgrove	John Ross	Toronto
John D. Falkingham	Windsor	Robert Rousseau	Orono
Robert B. Forester	Sault Ste Marie	John C. Schaeffer	Harrowsmith
Gordon M. Frew	Oakland	Brian C. Shannon	Caledon East
Robert D. Hannah	Hanover	Richard T. Shave	Welland
Albert Harding	Thunder Bay	T. Kenneth Spence	Ridgetown
Michael J. Jackson	Ottawa	Carmen R. Stevenson	Newmarket
Collin G. James	Camlachie	Lester C. Sulzer	Guelph
Reginald D. Joyce	Ancaster	Jeffery Taylor	Brighton
Roy W. Julian	Maple	James Telfer	Lynden
E. Alexander Kerr	Highgate	Dennis Thacker	Oakville
Gary L. Leitch	Queensville	Hugh A. Thompson	Palmerston
Frank Lenson	Port Robinson	R. William Thompson	Arnprior
George C. Leverton	Fingal	Raymond A. Uhrig	Scarborough
Gary Losee	Gravenhurst	David A. White	Kenora
Richard W. C. Lundy	Scarborough	David C. Whitmore	Omemee
David MacMillan	Toronto	John Wood	Windsor

Grand Standard Bearer	V.W. Bro. John R. Black	Thorndale
Grand Standard Bearer	V.W. Bro. George Lane	Woodstock
Grand Tyler	V.W. Bro. Peter Whittaker	Etobicoke
Grand Historian	R.W. Bro. Wallace E. McLeod	Toronto
Grand Piper	V.W. Bro. Charles Thomson	Ingersoll

THANKS

The Grand Master expressed his appreciation to the Committee on Arrangements for their dedicated service rendered once again this year.

Recognition of the role of this committee met with the approbation of all in attendance.

GUESTS SPEAK

During the session the following distinguished guests, at the request of the Grand Master, addressed the brethren assembled:

M.W. Bro. J. R. Biggs, Grand Master Grand Lodge of Maryland	R.W. Bro. M. J. Squires., Grand Master Grand Lodge of Newfoundland & Labrador
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M.W. Bro. Neil Bidnick, Grand Master Grand Lodge of New York	R.W. Bro. Opkar S. Sandhu., Grand Master Grand Lodge of Newfoundland & Labrador
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Ill Sir Norm Camp, Potentate
Mocha Temple

GRAND LODGE CLOSED

Grand Lodge closed at 11:40 a.m. on Thursday, July 19, 2007.



Grand Secretary

RETURNS OF LODGES AS AT DECEMBER 31ST, 2006

Lodges marked (a) hold their Installation and Investiture of Officers on or near the Festival of St. John the Evangelist, in the months from October to March inclusive, all others on or near that of St. John the Baptist, in the months from April to September inclusive. The names of the W.M. and Secretary are corrected up to September 30, 2007.

DENOTES DAYLIGHT LODGE

No.	Lodge	Night of Meeting	Where Held	W. Master	Secy. and Address
2	a Niagara	1st Wed	Niag-on-Lake	P.Borland	J.Quinn,3272 Tramore Cres, Niagara Falls L2G 7R1
3	a Ancient St. Johns.....	1st Thurs.....	Kingston	R.Bogle	A.Parker,86 Abbey Dale Crt. Kingston K7K 5W9
5	Sussex.....	3rd Mon.....	Brookville	R.D'Alton	G.Midkiff,2651 Blue Church Rd, RR 1, Prescott K0E 1T0
6	a The Barton	2nd Wed	Hamilton	A.Kennedy	K.Nickerson,Box 4, Gp T, RR 1, Freeland L0R 1K0
7	Union.....	2nd Thurs.....	Grimsby	R.Beringer	C.Warden,37 Golden Blvd. St Catharines L2N 7M6
9	Union.....	2nd Wed	Napanee	T.Deline	H.Hamilton,44 McCabe St, Napanee K7R 3P6
10	a Norfolk	2nd Tues	Simcoe	S.McQuade	G.Jones,1-15 Gunton Dr, Simcoe N3Y 1B4
11	a Moira	1st Wed	Belleisle	V.England	S.Reid,184 Shannon Rd. Plainfield K0K 2V0
14	True Britons ¹	1st Mon	Perth	T.Bowes	S.Howard,7 Iverness Ave, Perth K7H 3G5
15	St. George's	2nd Tues	St. Catharines	J.Fernandez	D.Gillis,131 Elma St, St Catharines L2N 6A1
16	a St. Andrew's	3rd Tues	Toronto	R.Tan	B.Steen,24 Broadbridge Dr, Scarborough M1C 3J9
17	a St. John's.....	2nd Tues	Cobourg	J.Dempster	J.Naim,291 King St W, Cobourg K9A 2N4
18	a Prince Edward	1st Thurs	Picton	B.Gaw	K.Campbell,RR 1, Milford K0K 2P0
20	a St. John's.....	2nd Tues	London	M.Brown	R.More,15 Highland Place, London N6C 5E7
21a	St. John's.....	1st Tues	Vankleek Hill	A.Ciastek	C.Simpkin,c/o St.John's Lodge, Box 519, Vankleek Hill K0B 1R0
22	a King Solomon's	2nd Thurs	Richmond Hill	J.Mitsonis	R.Heyworth,133 Tower Dr, Toronto M1R 3P4
23	Richmond.....	3rd Wed	Richmond Hill	F.Lock	J.Galati,604 Carlton Rd., Markham L3P 1R9
24	a St. Francis	1st Thurs	Smiths Falls	D.Russell	G.Patterson,19 Glen Ave, Smiths Falls K7A 1S3
25	a Ionic.....	1st Wed	Toronto	W.Goodman	P.Skazin,2108-1555 Finch Ave E, Toronto M2J 4X9

Suspensions Dec 2005		Deaths Dec 2005		Resigned Dec 2005	
2	Passed	Joined	Retired	Resigned	Deaths
3	Passed	Joined	Retired	Resigned	Deaths
5	Passed	Joined	Retired	Resigned	Deaths
6	Passed	Joined	Retired	Resigned	Deaths
7	Passed	Joined	Retired	Resigned	Deaths
9	Passed	Joined	Retired	Resigned	Deaths
10	Passed	Joined	Retired	Resigned	Deaths
11	Passed	Joined	Retired	Resigned	Deaths
14	Passed	Joined	Retired	Resigned	Deaths
15	Passed	Joined	Retired	Resigned	Deaths
16	Passed	Joined	Retired	Resigned	Deaths
17	Passed	Joined	Retired	Resigned	Deaths
18	Passed	Joined	Retired	Resigned	Deaths
20	Passed	Joined	Retired	Resigned	Deaths
21a	Passed	Joined	Retired	Resigned	Deaths
22	Passed	Joined	Retired	Resigned	Deaths
23	Passed	Joined	Retired	Resigned	Deaths
24	Passed	Joined	Retired	Resigned	Deaths
25	Passed	Joined	Retired	Resigned	Deaths

27	a Strict Observance.....	3rd Fri.....	Stoney Creek	D.Laliberte	G.Lowry.....	20 Darlington Dr.	Port Hope L1Y 3Y4
28	Mount Zion	3rd Thurs.....	Kemptville	T.Thompson	J.Graham.....	75 Everton Way, Gloucester K1V 1Y7	Hamilton L9C 2L7
29	United	1st Tues.....	Brighton	W.Kiers	C.Wright.....	23 Fawndale Cr.	Toronto M1W 2X3
30	Composite	Last Mon.....	Whitby	J.Morreau	G.Olley.....	20 Evans Cl., Whitby L1N 5W9	75 Everton Way, Gloucester K1V 1Y7
31	a Jerusalem	2nd Wed.....	Bownaville	D.Page	C.Elliott.....	20 Robert Adams Dr., Courtice L1E 1V8	20 Robert Adams Dr., Courtice L1E 1V8
32	Amiti.....	2nd Wed.....	Dunville	B.Fretz	J.Wilson.....	723 Tammarac St., Dunnville N1A 2E3	20 Robert Adams Dr., Courtice L1E 1V8
33	Maitland	2nd Tues.....	Goderich	D.Meakin	R.Rompf.....	342 Conox Cres., Goderich N7A 3R4	723 Tammarac St., Dunnville N1A 2E3
34	a Thistle.....	1st Tues.....	Amherstburg	E.Aggostino	J.Valley.....	90 Bayview Ave., Kingsville N9Y 3M2	342 Conox Cres., Goderich N7A 3R4
35	a St. John's	1st Thurs.....	Cayuga	W.Harris	K.Hannah.....	55 Twentyplace Blvd., Mount Hope L0R 1W0	90 Bayview Ave., Kingsville N9Y 3M2
37	a King Hiram	1st Mon.....	Ingersoll	J.Peter	C.Thomson.....	179 Sydenham St., Woodstock N4S 7B7	55 Twentyplace Blvd., Mount Hope L0R 1W0
38	Trent	2nd Tues.....	Frankford	W.Fraser	W.Robison.....	95 County Rd 5, RR 1, Wooler K0K 3M0	179 Sydenham St., Woodstock N4S 7B7
39	a Mount Zion	1st Tues.....	Brooklin	W.Vaughan	M.Parr.....	94 Queen St., Brooklin L1M 1C3	95 County Rd 5, RR 1, Wooler K0K 3M0
40	St. John's	3rd Thurs.....	Hamilton	J.Durcan	A.Quainton.....	2474 Cavendish Dr., Burlington L7P 3T8	94 Queen St., Brooklin L1M 1C3
41	a St. George's	1st Thurs.....	Kingsville	F.Mommie	D.McGillivray.....	31 Queen St., Kingsville N9Y 1Z8	2474 Cavendish Dr., Burlington L7P 3T8
42	a St. George's	1st Thurs.....	London	A.Yates	J.Ticknor.....	225 Sterling St., London N5Y 1Z3	31 Queen St., Kingsville N9Y 1Z8
43	King Solomons	1st Tues.....	Woodstock	D.Lapointe	G.Bayne.....	260 Butler St., Woodstock N4S 1B2	J.Ticknor.....
44	St. Thomas	1st Thurs.....	St.Thomas	B.Miller	W.Dunn.....	148 Balachava St., St.Thomas NSP 3E1	260 Butler St., Woodstock N4S 1B2
45	Brant	2nd Tues.....	Braント	N.Vas	R.Clarkie.....	74 Ava Road, Brantford N3T 5J3	148 Balachava St., St.Thomas NSP 3E1
46	Wellington-Victory	2nd Tues.....	Chatham	W.Lockhart	J.I German.....	150 Regency Dr., Chatham N7L 5J6	74 Ava Road, Brantford N3T 5J3
47	a Great Western	1st Thurs.....	Windsor	G.Dumouchelle	I.Brazeau.....	2920 Buttery Court, Windsor N9E 3W4	150 Regency Dr., Chatham N7L 5J6
48	a Madoc-Marmora-Tweed	3rd Tues.....	Madoc	G.Haskell	G.Hughes.....	RR 1,.....	2920 Buttery Court, Windsor N9E 3W4
50	a Consecon	4th Thurs.....	Consecon	R.Ponteray	G.Ilarvey.....	Box 278,.....	RR 1,.....
52	Dalhousie	1st Tues.....	Ottawa	G.Hosson	A.McArdle.....	Carrying Place K0L 0A0	RR 1,.....
						Gatineau J8P 3Z3	RR 1,.....

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54	a Maple.....	2nd Tues	Maple	B. Stapley	D.Evelyn,148 Pemberton Rd, Richmond Hill L4C 3T7
55	Merrickville.....	3rd Fri	Burritts Rapids	C. Minot	R.Miller,7627 Setters Way, North Gower KOA 2T0
56	a Victoria.....	1st Tues	Samia.....	M. Klem	A.Wanner,881 Kensley Dr., Samia NTV 2M6
57	Harmony.....	2nd Wed	Binbrook	B. Teskey	J.Wilkin,103 Edwina Place, Hamilton L8V 4M1
58	Donic.....	3rd Thurs	Ottawa	A. Simpson	J.Calverley,32 Vanessa Terr., Ottawa K2J 2B8
61	a Acacia.....	3rd Mon	Hamilton	W. Cockburn	V.Abraham,290 Carson Dr. Hamilton L8T 2X7
62	a St. Andrew's.....	3rd Thurs	Caledonia.....	L.Sherritt	G.Dring,55 Front St S., York NOA 1R0
63	St. John's.....	2nd Wed	Carleton Place	B. Duffen	W.Purdy,127 Munro St., Carleton Place K7C 1H2
64	a Kilwinning.....	3rd Fri	London.....	A. Sloan	R.Cooper,576 Winblest Ave., London N6C 3C3
65	Rehoboam.....	1st Thurs	Etbicoke	W. Wolfe	G.Betowski,Box 351, Mount Hope L0R 1W0
66	Durham.....	1st Wed	Newcastle	P.Fox	W.Segers,758 Shelby Ave., Oshawa LIH 3L6
68	St. John's.....	3rd Tues	Ingersoll	F.Wilford	F.Wilford,259 King St. W., Ingersoll N5C 2K6
69	Stirling.....	3rd Thurs	Stirling	W.Lain	P.Dafse,260 Fuller Rd. RR 1, Thomasburg KOK 3H0
72	a Alma.....	2nd Tues	Cambridge	R.Lawrence	R.Bean,172 Tait St., Cambridge N1S 3G3
73	St. James.....	3rd Mon	St. Marys	D.Richardson	A.Winter,256 Elgin St. Box 914, St. Marys N4X 1B6
74	a St. James.....	2nd Tues	Brockville	R.Denison	D.Elliott RR 4, Brockville K6V 5T1
75	St. Johns.....	3rd Thurs	Scarborough	B.Woodrow	D.Bone,3 Enzo Cres., Uxbridge L9P 1M2
76	Oxford.....	2nd Mon	Woodstock	K.Roth	J.Triscott,123 Bee St., Woodstock NAS 8G1
77	Faithful Brethren	2nd Tues	Lindsay	L. Bell	R.Lindsay,72 Cedar Court, Lindsay K9V 6A9

SUSPENSIONS
MEMBERS DEC 2005

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DEATHS

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78	King Hiram2nd Wed.....Tilsonburg.....J.Haslinger.	J.Stanbridge:26-144 Concession St E, Tillsonburg N4G 1N5
79	a Simeon..	.....2nd Mon.....Bradford.....J.Morow.	F.Longthorne,1113 Northshore Dr, Gillford L0L 1R0
81	a St. Johns..	.....2nd Tues.....Mount Brydges .....B.Brown.	J.Rowe,7621 Falconbridge Dr, RR 3, Mt Brydges N0L 1W0
82	a St. John's	.....2nd Tues.....Paris.....A.Devereux	G.Sapleton,64 The Strand Ave, Brantford N3R 1Z4
83	Beaver...	.....3rd Mon....Strathroy	J.Howden,8751 Egremont Rd, Waiford N0M 2S0
84	Clinton...	.....1st Tues	J.Wise,Box 1202, Clinton N0M 1L0
85	a Rising Sun	.....1st Thurs.....Athens.....C.Toothey	W.Merpaw,120 Temperance Lk Rd, RR 3,Athens K0E 1B0
86	a Zetland Wilson	.....1st Tues	J.Buischer,116 Cadham Drive, Toronto M1S 3J6
87	a Markham Union	.....3rd Thurs.....Stouffville	W.Von Kalben,83 Parkway Ave, Markham L3P 2H1
88	St. George's	.....2nd Wed.....Owen Sound	M.Wood,RR 2,
90	Manito .	.....2nd Tues.....Collingwood	A.Reid,11 Georgian Meadows Dr, Collingwood L9Y 5G9
91	a Colborne	.....3rd Fri.....Cobourg	C.Amos,21 Church St E, Box 1078, Colborne K0K 1S0
92	a R Edward Cataraku	.....4th Fri.....Kingston	D.Beauchamp,355 McEwen Dr, Kingston K7M 3W4
93	Northern Light	.....1st Wed	M.Roberts,408 Nelson St, Kincardine N2Z 1X6
94	a St. Mark's	.....2nd Tues.....Port Stanley	G.Gale,709-430 Wellington St, St Thomas N5R 5R1
96	a Corinthian .....	.....1st Thurs.....Barrie	J.Beatty
97	a Sharon...	.....2nd Tues.....Queensville	G.Anderson,16 Harding Ave, Barrie L4M 3K2
98	True Blue .....	.....1st Fri.....Bolton	J.Howard
99	a Tuscan .....	.....2nd Thurs.....Newmarket	R.Janes,72 Carrick Ave, Keswick L4P 3R5
100	Valley .....	.....2nd Mon.....Dundas	M.Walmsley
101	Corinthian .....	.....3rd Fri.....Peterborough	N.Brookbank,49 Walkely Blvd, Bolton L7E 2H1
103	Maple Leaf .....	.....2nd Thurs.....Niagara Falls	D.Eimeron,756 Botany Hill Cr, Newmarket L3Y 3A8
104	St. Johns .....	.....3rd Mon.....Norwich.....D.Moddie	P.Mouripoulos,275 East 45th St, Hamilton L8T 3K7
105	a St. Mark's .....	.....2nd Tues.....Niagara Falls	A.Baswick,1044 St Paul's St, Peterborough K9H 6J8
			R.Cuttriss,112 Kerwin Gait, St Catharines L2H 4J8
			D.Moodie,RR 3
			Norwich N0J 1P0
			K.Green,6432 Chamwood Ave, Niagara Falls L2H 2H2

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106 a	Burford	3rd Wed	Burford	K. Lovett	J. Mitchell, 327 Maple Ave S, Burford N0E 1A0
107 a	St. Paul's	2nd Wed	Lambeth	S. Demir	D. McConnell, 2890 Woodhill Rd. London N6K 4S5
108	Blenheim	2nd Fri	Innerkip	G. Richardson	J. De Heer, 815 Berkshire Dr. Woodstock N4S 8R6
109	Albion	2nd Thurs	Harrowsmith	D. Swinton	D. Holton, 5636 B Bedford Rd. Sydenham KOH 2T0
110	Central	1st Tues	Prescott	B. Paterson	M. Jenkins, 20 Stewart Rd., RR 2, Prescott KOE 1T0
113 a	Wilson	2nd Wed	Waterford	R. Hamilton	R. Angus, 241 Main St. S., Waterford N0E 1Y0
114 a	Hope	3rd Tues	Port Hope	R. Demerchant	B. Keighley, Box 522, Port Hope L1A 3Z4
115 a	Ivy	1st Tues	Beansville	B. Roland	R. Pulford, 352 Martindale Rd., St Catharines L2R 6P9
116	Cassia	2nd Mon	Theford	D. Meerburg	R. Jackson, 9346 Lake Dr., RR 2, Forest N0N 1J0
118	Union	2nd Mon	Schomberg	G. McArthur	R. Cober, 43 Milligan St., Bradford L3Z 0A5
119 a	Maple Leaf	2nd Mon	Bath	T. Hogboom	V. Simpkins, 21 Bayview Dr., Bath K0H 1G0
120	Warren	1st Tues	Fingal	N. Walters	D. Nichols, 39707 Talbot Line, RR 7, St Thomas N5P 3T2
122	Renfrew	1st Mon	Renfrew	J. Ledger	G. Cross, 454 Wade Ave, Renfrew K7V 4K5
123 a	Belleville-Temple	1st Mon	Belleville	D. Konkin	J. King, 856 Miller Rd., RR 9, Picton K0K 2T0
125	Cornwall	1st Wed	Cornwall	F. Gordon	M. Duplain, 856 Tollgate Rd., Cornwall K6H 5R6
126	Golden Rule	2nd Mon	Campbellford	C. Shillinglaw	G. Ballard, RR 2, #2264 Campbellford K0L 1L0
127 a	Francok	3rd Mon	Frankford	J. Brummell	J. Wylie, Hilden Sq 393 Sidney St., Unit 9, Belleville K8P 3Z9
128	Pembroke	1st Thurs	Pembroke	J. Ewart	R. Morgan, 63 Herman St., Petawawa K8H 3B2
129 a	Rising Sun	1st Thurs	Aurora	L. Waller	R. Anderson, 183 John Tabor Trail, Caledon, Mississauga L7A 2P3

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131	St. Lawrence	3rd Wed.....Saugeen shores.....K.Marton.....F.Winston, &curover S/N, Box 1023,	0	3	4	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	81	80
133	a Lebanon Forest.....	2nd Mon ....Exeter	M.Brintnell	E.Hendrick,620 Main St S, Exeter NOM 1S1	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	1	106	100
135	a St. Clair.....	1st Thurs....Milton	J.Hough	G.Bragg,808 Childs Dr., Milton LRT 4122	7	3	3	1	0	0	7	3	108	106
136	a Richardson	4th Wed....Stouffville	K.Prentice	L.Sandiland,102 Cedarvale Blvd, Stouffville LAA 7X3	2	2	3	0	0	5	2	0	137	132
137	a Pythagoras.....	1st Tues....Meaford	R.Campbell	W.Pearson,RR 1, Meaford N4L 1L7	2	0	2	0	0	1	3	1	90	87
139	a Lebanon	2nd Tues....Oshawa.....	D.Ritchie	G.Smith,222-777 Terrace Dr, Oshawa L1G 2Z3	9	3	6	3	0	4	5	5	206	204
140	Malahide	3rd Wed.....Aylmer	K.White	J.Smith,30 Dufferin St, Aylmer NSH1 2L5	2	1	2	1	0	4	4	0	180	175
141	Tudor	2nd Tues....Mitchell	J.Reynolds	W.Chemos,26 Bleheim St, Box 115, Mitchell NOK 1N0	1	1	1	0	1	6	0	110	105	
142	a Excelsior	(February 2006 - surrendered charter).....			0	0	0	0	0	30	0	1	31	0
143	Friendly Brothers'	2nd Wed....Iroquois.....	D.Roddick	J.Styles,52 Lakeview Dr, Box 207, Iroquois KOE 1K0	0	0	1	9	0	0	3	0	46	52
144	Tecumseh.....	4th Wed ....Stratford.....	W.Young	T.Ridgway,255 Lincoln Rd, Waterloo N2J 2P6	3	2	0	0	0	2	1	2	105	103
145	a J. B. Hall	2nd Tues....Millbrook	W.Mitchell	W.Brass,203-282 Romaine St, Peterborough K9J 2C5	1	1	1	0	2	0	1	86	85	
146	a Prince Of Wales	1st Wed ....Napanee	M.Switzer	D.Scott,154 Second Ave, Napanee K7R 2J2	3	1	1	0	0	0	2	0	40	41
147	Mississippi	3rd Thurs....Almonte	G.Giles	M.Fierce,c/o Mississippi Lodge 147, Box 17993,Almonte KOA 1A0	3	0	0	1	0	1	3	0	113	113
148	Civil Service.....	2nd Tues....Ottawa	C.Aysan	R.Dixon,1280 Platine Dr, Ottawa K1V 9G2	3	2	3	0	0	1	3	2	103	100
149	Erie	2nd Mon ....Port Dover	P.Bowman	W.Jukes,41 John St, Port Dover N0A 1N7	2	1	1	4	0	4	3	4	57	52
151	Grand River	2nd Tues....Waterloo	R.Schuls	N.Bobier,38 Lombardy Crt, Kitchener N2M 1W7	11	8	0	3	1	5	5	1	139	143
153	a Burns'	2nd Thurs....Wyoming	P.Fisher	J.Forbes,4944 Mathaville Rd, RR 3, Petrolia N0N 1R0	2	0	1	0	0	1	5	2	112	106
154	a Irving	(May 2006 amalgamated with Lodge No. 574).....			0	0	0	0	0	50	2	0	52	0
155	a Peterborough.....	1st Fri ....Peterborough	J.Morton	G.Harris,862 Stocker Rd, Peterborough K9J 5L3	1	1	0	1	0	2	3	100	98	
156	York.....	2nd Mon ....Toronto	D.Fernandes	G.Forbes,79 Compton Cres, Bradford L3Z 2X6	2	2	2	34	0	2	6	0	110	138
157	Simpson	1st Tues....Newboro	T.Cowan	J.Bond,RR 1, Portland KOJ 1V0	0	2	4	0	0	0	2	0	62	60
158	Alexandra-Inwood	1st Mon....Oil Springs	R.Poland	S.Dunlop 4827 Oil Springs Line, Box 245, Oil Springs NON 1P0	2	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	119	117
159	Goodwood	1st Tues....Richmond	M.MacGregor	W.Cook,6152 Ottawa St, PO Box 76, Richmond KOA 2Z0	4	3	1	0	3	1	0	81	82	

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161	Percy.....	1st Wed	Warkworth.....	R.Jolliffe.....	W.Dawson,RR #4, 237 Godolphin Rd. Warkworth K0K 3K0
162	Forest.....	2nd Mon	Wroxeter.....	J.Hawkins.....	P.Dickson RR 1, Clifford N0G 1M0
164	Star-In-The-East	1st Tues	Picton.....	W.Walkins	E.Hewton,Box 811, 305 Nixon Ave. Wellington K0K 3L0
165	a Burlington.....	1st Wed	Burlington.....	P.Corness	R.Parker,1420-477 Elizabeth St., Burlington L7R 2M3
166	Wentworth	3rd Tues.....	Stoney Creek	I.Allan	R.Kerr,16 Margaret Ave., Grimsby L3M 4S1
168	a Merritt.....	2nd Mon	Port Colborne.....	T.Penwarden.....	R.Muha,43 Leather Crt., Welland L3C 4P9
169	Macnab.....	2nd Tues.....	Port Colborne.....	B.Gillespie.....	K.Burke,176 Schoolfield Ave., Port Colborne L3K 5T2
170	Britannia	1st Mon.....	Seaforth	J.Beuermann	K.Campbell Box 213, Seaforth N0K 1W0
171	Prince Of Wales	2nd Thurs.....	Iona Station.....	G.Hughson	J.Muir,19 Eriele Dr., St.Thomas N5R 5N6
172	a Ayr.....	2nd Tues.....	Ayr	G.Perrin	D.Fadie,286 Paper St., Ayr N0B 1E0
174	a Walsingham	3rd Thurs	Port Rowan	P.Meadows	W.Reaman,33-14 New Lakeshore Rd., Port Dover N0A 1N8
177	The Builders	3rd Mon	Ottawa	J.Roberts	W.Keech,195 Baow Cres., Kanata K2L 2K9
178	Plattsburgh	Fri B.F.M.	Washington	R.Hewitt	K.Boult,109 Murray Rd., Cambridge N1S 3T5
180	a Speed	1st Tues	Guelph	K.Richardson	W.Clawworthy,43 Burns Dr., Guelph N1H 6V8
181	Oriental.....	4th Tues	Vienna	D.McNall	D.Soper,324 Calgary St., London NW 4X4
184	Old Light.....	1st Thurs	Lucknow	B MacDonald	R.Alton,RR 2,86628 Lucknow Line, Lucknow N0G 2H0
185	Enniskillen	1st Mon.....	Caledonia	M.Smith	R.McCormick,730 Singer Rd., York N0A 1R0
186	Plantagenet	2nd Mon	Riceville	J.Cleary	J.Clemens,3036 Clemens Rd., Fournier K0B 1G0

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2230	Kerr.....	3rd Thurs.....Barrie.....	M. Underhill.....	M.Maciuk,31 Worthington St, Box 970,Little Current P0P 1K0	
2231	Lodge Of Fidelity	3rd Tues.....Ottawa	K. Bickley	P.Ripstein,74 Calaveras Ave, Ottawa K2J 4Z4	
2232	Cameron.....	1st Wed.....Dutton.....	G. Galbraith.....	J.McIntyre,Box 362, 16 Jordan St, Dutton N0L 1J0	
2233	Done.....	(May 2006 amalgamated with Lodge No. 574).....			
2234	Beaver.....	2nd Wed....Thornbury	R. Robson.....	B.Johnson,153 Clark St, Box 273, Clarksburg N0H 1J0	
2235	Aldworth.....	2nd Thurs....Chesley	D.Grant	B.Cumming,810 Waterloo, Port Elgin N0G 2N0	
2236	a Manitoba.....	2nd Tues....Cookstown.....	C.Downey	J.McKillop,2132 14th Con, RR 1, Gilford L0L 1R0	
2237	Vienna.....	3rd Fri.....Vienna	J.Hoover	E.Keitchabaw, RR 1, Eden N0L 1H0	
2238	Havelock.....	4th Mon.....Watford.....	P.Shanahan	B.Graham,382 West St, Box 501, Waford N0M 2S0	
2242	Macy.....	4th Mon.....Lyn.....	M.Flikweert	V.Haskin,7 Cowan Ave, Brockville K6V 1W1	
2243	a St. George.....	1st Tues.....St. George	W.Lawrence	R.File,35 King William St, St. George N0E 1N0	
2245	Tecumseh Sydenham.....	2nd Mon....Thamesville	K.Hetherington	E.Campbell,22566 Kent Bridge Rd, Kent Bridge N0P 1V0	
2247	Ashlar St. Clair.....	4th Wed....Toronto	T.Lundy	W.Chadderton,32 Barwick Dr, Barrie L4N 6Z5	
2249	a Caledonian.....	1st Mon.....Midland	G.Walters	J.McLean,Box 693, Midland L4R 4P4	
2250	a Thistle.....	4th Thurs....Embros	I.McLeod	V.McKay,RR 4, Embro N0J 1J0	
2253	a Minden.....	1st Tues.....Kingston	J.Schaeffer	E.Mierau,836 Crestwood Ave, Kingston K7P 1S6	
2254	a Clifton.....	2nd Wed....Niagara Falls.....	A.Innell	J.Boutillier,3091 Ussher St, Niagara Falls L2G 6M3	
2256	Lost Villages.....	4th Thurs.....Ingleside	D.Hollingsworth	G.Hillis,16259 County Rd #36, Long Sault K0C 1B0	

258	a Guelph .....	.....2nd Tues.....Guelph .....	.....W.Rose .....	.....N.Taylor,23 Collingwood St, Guelph N1E 3R2
260	Washington .....	.....(June 2006 amalgamated with Lodge No. 194).....		
261	a Oak Branch .....	.....2nd Thurs.....Innerkip .....	.....W.Smith .....	.....R.Gillespie,79 Main St.s,Box 12, Innerkip N0S 1V0
262	Harrison .....	.....4th Tues.....Harrison .....	.....D.McCulloch .....	.....A.Jaunzemis,RR 2, Harrison NOG 1Z0
264	Chaudiere .....	.....4th Tues.....Ottawa .....	.....K.Harley .....	.....T.Davis,8141 Fallowfield Rd,RR 1, Ashton K0A 1B0
265	Patterson Grey .....	.....4th Tues.....Thornhill .....	.....K.Lawrence .....	.....E.Moses,201-3303 Don Mills Rd, Toronto M2J 4T6
266	Northern Light .....	.....1st Tues.....Slavner .....	.....D.Powers .....	.....E.McGaulley,210 Hamilton Dr.,Box 704, Stayner L0M 1S0
267	Parthenon .....	.....1st Wed .....	.....D.Houle .....	.....J.Wilcox,20 Sage Close, Chatham N7L 5L9
268	a Verulam .....	.....3rd Fri.....Bobcaygeon .....	.....K.Ingram .....	.....P.Williamson,122 Oliviers Rd,RR 3, Bobcaygeon K0M 1A0
269	a Brougham Union .....	.....1st Wed .....	.....L.Lombardi .....	.....P.Scott,1411-1000 The Esplanade N, Pickering L1V 6V4
270	a Cedar .....	.....4th Tues.....Oshawa .....	.....P.Iltaylock .....	.....J.Singer,135 Toscana Dr, Whitby L1R 2Z9
271	a Wellington .....	.....1st Thurs.....Erin .....	.....J.Brennan .....	.....W.Jones,9544 City Rd 124, RR 2, Erin N0B 1T0
272	a Seymour .....	.....2nd Tues.....Ancaster .....	.....B.Peall .....	.....T.Marshall,58 Allanbrook St, Stoney Creek L8J 2E8
274	a Kent .....	.....2nd Mon .....	.....W.Blenheim .....	.....P.Paisiovich,Box 1381, Blenheim N0P 1A0
277	a Seymour .....	.....2nd Wed .....	.....St.Catharines .....	.....R.Forster
279	a Mystic Tie .....	.....3rd Mon.....Cambridge .....	.....S.Mohan .....	.....H.Krajewski,3 McBridge Dr, St.Catharines L2S 3Y4 B.Lowery,34 Pinedale Ct, Kitchener N2E 1K9
282	Lorne .....	.....2nd Tues.....Glencoe .....	.....K.Dickie .....	.....J.May,435 Glendon Dr,RR 4.
283	a Eureka .....	.....2nd Wed .....	.....Belleville .....	.....D.Plumpton,283 Bellevue Dr,RR 5, Belleville K8N 4Z5
284	St. John's .....	.....2nd Wed....Brussels .....	.....R.Hoover .....	.....W.Clark,Box 198, Brussels NOG 1H0
285	Seven Star .....	.....2nd Mon....Alliston .....	.....P.Sawyer .....	.....W.Clayton,67 William St, Alliston L9R 1N1
286	Wingham .....	.....2nd Tues....Wingham .....	.....A MacDonald .....	.....J.Dore,75 Alfred St, Box 596, Wingham NOG 2W0
287	a Shuniah .....	.....1st Tues.....Thunder Bay .....	.....T.Charlton .....	.....R.Greenhalgh,216-630 Sherrington Dr, Thunder Bay P7B 6Z3
289	a Doric .....	.....3rd Wed.....Lobo .....	.....D.Barber .....	.....R.Caverhill,11406 Ivan Dr, RR 1, Ilderton N0M 2A0
290	Leamington3rd Tues.....LeamingtonW.RichieJ.Peacock,9 Georgia Ave, Leamington N8H 2E6

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291	a Dufferin.....	3rd Thurs	W. Flamborough	A. Adams	R.Jones,1275 - RR 1, Lynden LOR 1T0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	44	42	
292	Robertson.....	3rd Sat.....	Aurora	F.McIntosh	C.Gibson,9937 Winston Churchill Blvd. Norval 1OP 1K0	3	0	3	3	0	1	5	3	84	82	
294	Moore.....	2nd Mon	Sarnia	E.Nicol	W.Richardson,431 Bentinck St. Corunna N0N 1G0	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	3	60	60	
295	a Conestogo.....	3rd Tues.....	Drayton	R.Brimblecombe	D.Fisher,RR 2, Alma N0B 1A0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	46	45	
296	a Temple	3rd Wed	St. Catharines	R.Paige	R.Paige,126 Carleton St N, Thorold L2V 2B2	1	1	2	0	0	1	4	0	108	104	
297	a Preston.....	3rd Thurs	Cambridge	W.Griffiths	R.Coyle,250 Sunset Blvd. Cambridge N1S 4M5	0	0	1	3	2	5	0	0	53	53	
299	Victoria.....	1st Thurs	Centreville	P.Peters	A.Gordon,1654 Bethel Road, Yarker K0K 3N0	1	2	1	2	0	0	1	0	54	56	
300	a Mount Olivet.....	3rd Thurs	Thordale	F.Wray	F.Gomez,48-50 Fiddlers Green Rd, London N6H 4T4	2	2	1	0	0	3	2	0	78	75	
302	St. David's.....	3rd Thurs	St.Thomas	T.Lanning	A.Mellor,6447 Bostwick Rd, RR 1, Union N0L 2L0	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	212	209	
303	a Blyth.....	3rd Mon	Blyth	G.McClinchey	B.Allan,P.O. Box 14, Blyth N0M 1H0	2	1	0	1	0	0	2	0	48	49	
304	a Minerva.....	3rd Tues	Stroud	J.Bunt	R.McBrine,1629 Innisfil Beach Rd, Innisfil L9S 4B3	5	5	3	0	0	2	3	1	120	119	
305	a Humber	1st Thurs	Toronto	A.Turk	M.Schwantes,2 Spring Garden Rd, Toronto M8Z 3W6	11	11	5	1	0	0	1	0	126	137	
306	Durham.....	2nd Tues	Durham	J.Bell	D.Christie,313-14th St, Hanover N4N 1Z6	1	2	1	0	1	1	4	0	63	60	
307	Arkona	1st Thurs	Arkona	T.Keith	C.Kristensen,44 Bellhaven Rd., London N6C 2N2	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	39	37	
309	a Morning Star	2nd Wed	Carlton	B.Sillib	P.Young,50 Mainland Rd N, Goderich N7A 2N1	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	2	80	76	
311	a Blackwood.....	1st Tues	Maple	J.Leavoy	C.Gibson,9937 Winston Churchill Blvd. Norval 1OP 1K0	4	3	2	0	0	1	0	3	65	65	
312	Pnyx Balloon.....	3rd Mon	Wallaceburg	S.Rodgers	L.Tapp,14 Carleton Cres., Wallaceburg N8A 4R5	2	1	1	0	0	0	3	0	62	61	
313	a Clementi.....	1st Tues	Peterborough	D.White	L.Castle,2318 Sumac St., Peterborough K9K 2J9	2	2	1	2	0	1	2	0	74	73	
					A. Hewison,Box 775.	1	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	77	75.	

316 a Doric.....	4th Thurs....Thornhill.....	P.Vogel	Clifford N0B 1M0 W.Bolychuk,47 Indian Rd.
318 a Wilnot.....	2nd Thurs....Cambridge.....	R.Hoglund	Toronto M6R 2V2 K.McGeagh,306 Greenbrook Dr, Kitchener N2M 4K3
319 a Hiram.....	2nd Thurs....Hagersville.....	P.Isaac	P.Duns 4 Hunter St. Box 326, Hagersville NOA 1H0
320 Chesterville	3rd Wed....Winchester.....	J.Tutton	A.Naish,2 Howard St., Chesterville K0C 1H0
321 a Walker-Friendship	4th Thurs....Halton Hills.....	W.Barr	R.Taylor,55 Windsor Rd, Georgetown L7G 1J2
322 North Star	1st Wed....Owen Sound.....	C.Rawn	W.Griffith,RR 7, Owen Sound N4K 6V5
324 Temple	2nd Tues....Hamilton.....	M.Peko	B.Thomas,46-34 Southbrook Dr, Burlbrook L0R 1C0
325 a Oroño.....	2nd Thurs....Orono.....	P.Rousseau	T.Henderson,6457 Leskard Rd, Orono L0B 1M0
326 Zetland	1st Tues....Toronto.....	O.Kelly	(See note Paper 157)
327 Hammond	4th Tues....Wardsville.....	W.Jeffery	D.Laszewski,170 Grant St, Wardsville N0L 2N0
328 Ionic.....	3rd Wed....Napier.....	P.Kendall	J.Rowe,6403 Walkers Dr, RR 3, Strathroy N0G 3H5
329 King Solomon	3rd Tues....Jarvis.....	A.Robertson	D.Dawson,RR1, Hagersville NOA 1H0
330 a Corinthian	1st Tues....London.....	C.Angyal	D.Humphrey,908-112 Arbour Glen Cres, London N5Y 2A2
331 Fordwich	2nd Thurs....Fordwich.....	W.Austin	W.Freeman,,Box 202, 2021 Princes St, Gorme N0G 1X0
332 Stratford.....	2nd Mon....Stratford.....	A.Prescot.....	D.Doherty,161 Home Street, Stratford NSA 2A2
333 Prince Arthur.....	2nd Fri....Flesherton	P.Mullin	J.Wilson,Bx 58, Flesherton N0C 1E0
334 a Prince Arthur.....	3rd Mon....Arthur	B.Orr	D.Golin,135 Colborne St, Station Square, Elora N0B 1S0
336 a Highgate.....	2nd Fri....Highgate	C.Sloan	W.Jay,RR 1, Muirkirk N0L 1X0
337 a Myrtle.....	4th Tues....Port Robinson	A.Howard	K.Halbert,5488 Green Ave. Niagara Falls L2H 1P6
338 Dufferin.....	3rd Tues....Wellandport	N.McLean	J.Rigg,538 South Pelham, Welland L3C 3C6
339 a Orient.....	1st Wed....Toronto.....	R.Murdoch	C.Scott,218 Grace St, Toronto M6G 3A6
341 Bruce	4th Tues....Tiverton	C.Bidgood	D.Manary,Box 108, Tiverton N0G 2T0
343 a Georgia	4th Fri.....	B.Oram	G.McCowan,36 Tecumseth Heights Dr, RR 3,Tottenham LOE 1WW0

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DETACHMENT LODGE

No.	Lodge	Night of Meeting	Where Held	W. Master	Secty. and Address	Initiated	Passed	Raised	Joined	Resigned	Restored	Deceased	Suspensions	Debts	Debtors	Debtors 2005	Debtors 2006
344	a Merrill.....	1st Thurs.....	Milestown.....	P. Styles	J. Young, 4049 Catherine St, Dorchester N0L 1G0	1	1	1	0	0	3	5	0	71	64		
345	a Milestown.....	3rd Tues.....	Milestown.....	W. Sershall	D. Fickling, 14 Wadsworth St, London NSV 2R2	3	1	0	0	0	0	6	3	163	157		
346	Occident.....	1st Tues.....	Toronto	R. MacGregor	(See note Page 157)	0	0	2	0	1	3	1	1	81	77		
347	a Mercer.....	4th Wed.....	Fergus	F. Barkhouse	J. Campbell, 730 Blair St, Fergus N1M 2Z9	7	3	0	1	0	1	3	0	75	79		
348	Georgian.....	3rd Thurs.....	Midland	P. King	B. Rogers, 1033 Tay Point Rd, Penetanguishene L9M 2C6	2	2	2	1	0	1	3	7	58	49		
352	Granite.....	3rd Wed.....	Parry Sound	G. MacGregor	T. Fraser, Box 485, Parry Sound P2A 2X4	5	3	3	2	1	3	2	0	190	193		
354	Brock.....	2nd Fri.....	Cannington.....	J. Elburg	J. Elburg, RR 1, Cannington L0E 1E0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	49	47		
356	River Park.....	1st Tues.....	Mississauga.....	G. Hendrie	R. Murphy, 3244 Anderson Cres, Mississauga L5N 2Y5	3	1	2	0	0	0	5	1	94	91		
357	a Waierdown.....	3rd Tues.....	Millgrove	J. Bulthuis	J. Scott, Box 670, Waierdown L0R 2H0	4	1	0	0	1	2	8	0	101	96		
358	a Delaware Valley.....	2nd Thurs.....	Lambeth	B. Dawson	H. Morrison, 617 Sanatorium Rd, London N6H 3W9	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	56	55		
360	a Muskoka	1st Tues.....	Bracebridge.....	P. Baker	M. Shea, 120 Front St, Bracebridge P1L 1J7	8	6	6	3	0	1	7	0	224	227		
361	a Waverley.....	2nd Mon.....	Guelph	R. Stewart	R. Gray, 2-70 William St, Guelph N1E 5E6	0	1	0	0	0	5	5	1	106	94		
362	Maple Leaf.....	2nd Mon.....	Tara	R. Smith	B. Smith, RR5, Fire No 22431 Owen Sound N4K 5N7	2	2	2	1	0	1	0	0	49	51		
364	Dufferin.....	3rd Tues.....	Melbourne.....	R. Golden	W. Newitt, 5762 Riverside Dr, Melbourne N0L 1T0	2	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	35	37		
367	St. George.....	3rd Fri.....	Toronto	B. Clarke	S. Hargraves, 37 Leithridge Cres, Brooklin L1M 2N2	6	5	3	1	0	2	0	0	78	83		
368	Salem.....	2nd Mon.....	Brockville	G. Shewell	R. Byrd, 266 Brock St, Brockville K6V 4G7	1	1	0	0	1	1	2	0	117	116		
369	a Mimico.....	2nd Tues.....	Toronto	J. Dick	J. Ratuszny, 296 Mill Rd. E 20, Toronto M9C 4X8	4	4	3	2	1	4	9	6	160	148		
370	Harmony	2nd Wed.....	Elgin	E. Olivo	C. Code, 554 Hwy 15 S, RR 1, Lombardy K0G 1L0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	38	39		
371	Prince Of Wales	4th Fri.....	Ottawa	D. Kujawski	G. Sheppard, 2367 Palm St,	4	3	1	0	0	2	3	0	64	63		

373	a Cape-Stone	2nd Thurs...Fonthill.....W. Burnett.....W Dzierba	2	2	0	0	5	2	1	117
374	a Keene	Welland L3C 3X9	2	2	0	0	5	2	1	117
374	a Keene	L.Craighead RR 1, 3574 Cty Rd #2.	3	3	0	1	0	1	2	0
375	Lone	Keene K0L 2G0	2	1	0	0	0	4	0	92
375	Lone	A.MacEadyen, 69 Glengarry Rd, RR 1.	2	1	0	0	0	4	0	90
376	Unity	Bethany L0A 1A0	3	2	3	0	0	0	2	3
376	Unity	B.Boltzauer, RR 3, 899 William sport Rd.	3	2	3	0	0	0	2	122
377	Lone	Huntsville PH1 2J4	3	3	1	0	0	3	2	0
377	Lone	C.McKee, 50 Bucan Vista Dr,	3	3	1	0	0	3	2	0
378	a King Solomon's	Orangeville L9W 1Y4	2	1	0	0	0	2	3	4
378	a King Solomon's	Bellmills, 322 Manitoba St.	2	1	0	0	0	2	3	134
379	a Middlesex	London N5W 4W3	2	1	0	0	0	2	0	82
379	a Union	R.Saunders, 13 Laurentian Dr,	2	1	0	0	0	2	0	83
380	a Union	London N5W 1N8	4	4	4	0	1	0	8	121
381	Henderson	G.Publicover, 37 Conway Dr,	4	4	4	0	1	0	8	112
381	Henderson	London N6E 2H4	1	1	2	1	0	1	0	44
382	a Alpha	H.Sylvester, 1372 Rodney Lane, RR 1,	1	1	2	1	0	1	0	45
382	a Alpha	Winchester K0C 2K0	3	3	3	2	0	12	2	0
383	a Spy	M.Skulnick, 4 Cultra Square,	3	3	3	2	0	12	2	0
383	a Spy	Toronto M1E 2C9	2	0	2	1	0	2	1	67
384	West Elgin	R.Farley, 436 11th Line, RR 2.	2	0	2	1	0	2	1	62
384	West Elgin	Bradford L3Z 2A5	1	2	3	0	0	0	2	45
385	Lausdowne	S.Fodor.....W.Graham, 9612 Graham Rd, RR 2.	2	0	2	1	0	2	1	99
385	Lausdowne	West Lorne N0L 1P0	0	2	4	1	0	0	0	46
386	Howard	H.Nash, 671 Edent Grove Rd.	0	2	4	1	0	0	0	47
386	Howard	Lansdowne K0E 1L0	3	3	3	2	0	1	1	56
387	Huron	F.Clement, 808-535 Proudfoot Lane,	3	3	3	2	0	0	1	56
387	Huron	London N6H 5X2	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	56
388	a Henderson	K.Spence, RR 3.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	82
388	a Henderson	K.Jones, 3521 Devonshire Rd, RR 1.	3	2	2	1	0	0	1	47
389	Forest	Canlachie N0N 1E0	1	2	2	0	1	1	0	3
389	Forest	D.Henricks.....T.Murphy, 135-10th St S.E.	1	2	2	0	1	1	0	49
390	Cedar	R.Kordyban, 321 Pamela Court,	2	2	2	1	1	1	0	62
390	Cedar	Thainesford N0M 2M0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	29
391	a King Solomon	K.Cranston, 11600 S.M.R.,	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	29
391	a King Solomon	Conibier NOP 1J0	2	2	1	4	0	2	2	98
392	a Parvain	J.Miller, 214 Division St, Box 791,	4	4	2	2	0	0	0	85
392	a Parvain	Wairton N0H 2J0	1	0	1	2	0	3	2	47
393	Victoria	W.Allingham, 4170 Teller Rd, RR 1.	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	45
393	Victoria	Corunna N0N 1C0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	45
394	a Moffat	J.Sperino, 1219 Centennial Park, RR 3.	1	0	1	2	0	3	2	49
394	a Moffat	Kirkfield K0M 2B0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	45
395	F.Satterley	D.Strickland, 123 Inverary Cres.	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	45
395	F.Satterley	London N6G 3L7	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	45

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400 a	Oakville	1st Tues	Oakville	H. Lochbihler	B. Ashton, 2427 Buttonbush Cres., Mississauga L5L 1C4
402	Central	1st Wed	Essex	J. Spence	D. Moyes, 110 Kim Court, Essex N8M 2Z8
403 a	Windsor	1st Fri	Windsor	B. Sotto	T. Seal, 2440 Kildare Rd., Windsor N8W 2Y2
404	Lome	(December 2006 – surrendered charter)			
405	Mattawa	1st Tues	North Bay	R. Campbell	G. Maxwell, 1158 Hwy 630, Mattawa P0H 1V0
406	The Spy	4th Wed	Fenelon Falls	S. Kyle	J. Shea, 51 County Rd #8, RR 1, Fenelon Falls K0M 1N0
408	Murray	1st Tues	Beaverton	H. Lopez	R. Entwistle, 3011 Suntrac Dr, RR 1, Brechin L0K 1B0
409	Golden Rule	2nd Mon	Gravenhurst	I. Speicher	C. Boon, PO Box 2531, Gravenhurst P1L 1W3
410	Zeta-Shamrock	2nd Tues	Toronto	J. Longworth	G. Donnelly, 571 Winette Rd., Pickering L1W 2M4
412 a	a Keystone	1st Tues	Sault Ste. Marie	F. Skeggs	R. Gauthier, 24 River Rd., Sault Ste. Marie P6A 0C4
413 a	Naphali	2nd Tues	Tibury	G. Terney	D. Farquharson, RR 1, Tilbury N0P 2L0
414	Pequona	1st Wed	Kenora	F. Moeller	M. Devins, Box 1530, Kenora P9N 3X7
415 a	a Fort William	2nd Wed	Thunder Bay	H. Laforest	F. Bryson, 3112 Leland Ave S., Thunder Bay P7E 2N7
416	Lyn	1st Tues	Lyn	W. Murphy	R. Easton, 902 Buermilk Cove Lane, RR 1, Athens K0E 1B0
417	Keewatin	1st Thurs	Keewatin	J. Booth	T. Goodall, 833 Anderson Branch Rd., Kenora P9N 3W7
418	Maxville	3rd Wed	Maxville	E. McDonell	G. White, 18952 County Rd 24, Dunvegan K0C 1J0
419	Liberty	3rd Mon	Samia	M. Adam	M. Adam, 1336 Ridgewood Dr., Samia N7V 3R3
420	Nipissing	2nd Mon	North Bay	B. Moullion	G. Gilchrist, 197 Labreche Dr., North Bay P1B 3R6
					D. Arnold, 6127 Hwy 6, P.P. 2
					V. Washington, Cawood Village, 1st & 2nd Streets, P.P. 2

Suspensions
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422	Star Of The East.....	Last Wed ... Bothwell	R.Munro	R.Johnson,304 Chestnut St E., Bothwell Nop 1C0	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	33	35
423	Strong.....	2nd Tues ... Sundridge.....	D.Meloy	G.Carpenter Box 591, 14 Champion St, South River P0A 1X0	3	2	3	0	1	0	0	0	73	77
424	a Doric.....	3rd Thurs ... Ajax.....	J.Houghton	S.McDonald,39 Dobson Dr, Ajax L1S 5G4	5	3	6	1	0	1	4	5	162	158
425	a St. Clair.....	3rd Tues ... Sombra	P.Naylor	R.Finkbeiner,1384 St Clair Parkway, Courtright N0N 1H0	0	0	0	1	0	5	2	0	33	27
427	Nickel.....	1st Sat ... Sudbury	D.Kennedy	R.Kemp,Box 1116, Sudbury P3E 1B7	4	2	2	0	0	4	4	0	175	171
428	Fidelity.....	2nd Mon ... Port Perry.....	E.Flowers	F.Young,74 Country Estates Dr, Port Perry L9L 1S2	5	2	0	1	0	2	1	2	85	86
429	Port Elgin^.....	3rd Thurs ... Port Elgin.....	W.Blackwell	K.Cunningham,642 Elgin St, Box 323, Port Elgin N0H 2C0	4	5	4	0	1	1	1	1	99	101
430	Acacia.....	3rd Mon ... Toronto	M.Faminiak	D.Rankin,78 Gates Ave, Toronto M4C 1T3	2	2	3	0	0	0	1	0	70	71
431	Moravian.....	3rd Mon ... Cargill.....	W.Prues	R.McCulloch,Box 1523, Walkerton N0G 2V0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	38	40
432	Hanover	Last Mon ... Hanover	H.Reimers	A.Morrow,79 3rd St, Hanover N4N 3H8	4	2	1	0	2	0	0	0	84	87
433	Bonnechere	3rd Wed ... Egaville	R.Taylor	C.Jeanotte,67 Columbine Lane, Eganville K0J 1T0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	53	53
434	Algonquin	3rd Tues ... Emsdale	H.McIntosh	O.Strood,402 Falcon Rd, Huntsville P1H 1N3	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	63	60
435	a Havelock.....	4th Mon ... Havelock	S.Henderson	G.Smith,4 Victoria St, Box 212, Livetlock K0L 1Z0	2	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	95	92
436	Burns.....	2nd Tues ... Hepworth	T.Whitcroft	R.Rusk,18 Martin Dr, RR 1, Sauble Beach N0H 2G0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	85	85
437	Tuscan	3rd Wed ... Samina	T.Janes	A.Payne,382 Devine St, Samia N7T 1V4 (See note Page 157)	3	2	2	3	1	0	6	3	91	89
438	Harmony	4th Mon ... Queensville	W.Tooley	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	6	42	33	
439	Alexandria.....	2nd Tues ... Alexandria	M.McIntyre	R.Gordon,Box 1645, Alexandria K0C 1A0	1	1	3	0	0	0	2	0	37	36
440	Arcadia	4th Thurs...Minden	B.Robb	D.Blakey,23 Vintage Cr, Box 8, Minden K0M 2K0	3	0	0	1	0	1	3	0	86	86
442	Dynment	2nd Thurs...Thessalon	K.Chillman	R.Allen,Box 417, Thessalon P0R 1L0	3	0	0	0	0	2	6	2	133	126
443	Powassan	2nd Fri ... Powassan	M.Plant	G.Sargent,Box 98, Port Loring P0H 1Y0	4	1	3	0	0	5	3	0	93	89
444	a Nictiis	3rd Mon ... Creemore	F.Webster	T.Montgomery,7700 County Rd 9, RR 4, remore L0M 1G0	3	3	4	0	0	3	4	4	78	70
445	Lake Of The Woods	2nd Wed ... Kenora	G.Myles	T.Dunbar,6 Cambrian Dr, Kenora P0N 4A3	3	2	0	1	0	2	2	1	52	51
446	a Granite	1st Tues ... Fort Francis	D.Zucchiatti	A.Tibbets,Box 512, Fort Frances P0A 3M8	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	72	71	
447	a Sturgeon Falls	2nd Thurs...Sturgeon Falls	J.Leroy	R.Tailler,1622 Southview Dr, Sudbury P3E 2M2	3	1	2	0	0	1	1	1	50	50

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448	a Xenophon.....	3rd Thurs	Wheatley.....	B. Riddiford.....	F. Marshall,Box 467, Wheatley,NO# 2P0
449	Dundalk	3rd Mon	Dundalk	W.Bennett	W.Seeley,297 Main St W.,Box 433, Dundalk NO# 1B0
450	Hawkesbury	3rd Thurs	Vankeek Hill.....	J.Thomas.....	D.Cameron,46 Mill Entrance, Hawkesbury K6A 2L2
451	Somerville.....	1st Thurs	Kinnount	D.Anderson	B.Dettman,RR 2, Burnt River K0M 1C0
452	Avonmore.....	3rd Mon	Monkland.....	S.Prosser	J.McKay,Box 212, Maxville K0C 1T0
454	Corona	1st Thurs	Burks Falls.....	J.Faul.....	G.Jaques RR# 3, 96 Hwy S20 W, Burk's Falls POA 1C0
455	Doric.....	2nd Tues	Little Current.....	H.Dyksalski	R.Belton,557 Ketchemkooken Tr, RR 1, Site 1, Comp 10,Mindenvaya P0P 1S0
456	Elma.....	1st Thurs	Monkton	P.Nijp	M.Cockwell Box 52, Aitwood NOG 1B0
457	Century	3rd Tues	Merlin	K.Askew	D.McAleece RR 5, Box 253, Merlin NO# 1W0
458	Wales.....	(June 2006 amalgamated with Lodge No. 256)			
459	Cobden	2nd Tues	Cobden	R.Roloff	D.Schauer,RR 5, Cobden K0J 1K0
460	a Rideau.....	1st Thurs	Seeley's Bay	W.Anderson	M.Iltbert,21 North Bartlett St. Kingston K7K 1X6
461	a Ionic.....	1st Thurs	Rainy River.....	A.Brunwell	Rainy River P0W 1L0 W.Praskey,Box 223, North Cobalt PO1 1R0
462	Teniskanning	3rd Thurs	Haileybury	G.Soucisse	F.Walter,Box 563, Haliburton K0M 1S0
463	North Entrance	3rd Wed	Haliburton.....	J.Deak	J.Cook,911 Hwy #7, Oakwood K0M 2M0
464	King Edward	3rd Tues	Sunderland.....	J.Skruch	R.Grant,442 Cap Rd, RR 1, Cap KOA 1L0
465	Carleton	4th Thurs	Carp.....	J.Baart	J.Wilson,PO Box 1024, 93 Walkem Dr, Elmvale L0L 1P0
466	a Coronation	4th Wed	Elnvale	D.Don.....	D.Snedden,56 Archer Cres, Tottenham,.....
467	Tottenham.....	1st Mon.	Tottenham.....	A.Masters.....	J.Wilson,PO Box 1024, 93 Walkem Dr, Tottenham,.....

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		Caledon L/C 016
469 a Algoma	2nd Mon....Sault Ste. Marie R.McCucheon	W.Vair, 44 Barber Blvd.
470 a Victoria.....	3rd Tues....Victoria Harbour J.Libstone	Sault Ste Marie P6A 5T4 H.Belfry,1020 Hugel Ave.
471 a King Edward VII	1st Wed....Niagara Falls..... B.Warden	Midland L.R 1Y1 J.Haleay,6591 Jolley Cres,
472 Gore Bay.....	2nd Thurs....Gore Bay	Niagara Falls L2G 2W8 P.Gordon Box 81,409 Lighthouse Rd.
473 The Beaches.....	1st Thurs....Scarborough..... A.McDonald	Gore Bay Post 110 D.Shipley 81 Millington Cres.
474 a Victoria.....	3rd Tues....Toronto	Ajax L1T 1R6 A.Sangwine,1570 Applewood Rd.,
475 Dundurn	1st Mon....Hamilton	Mississauga L5E 2M3 R.Maxwell 270-123 Mohawk Rd.E,
477 a Harding	2nd Mon....Woodville	Hamilton L9A 2A9 J.Gorrell 210 County Lane, RR 2.,
479 Russell	3rd Mon....Russell	Cameron K0M 1G0 J.MacRae,8381 Forest Green Cres.,
481 a Corinthian	1st Wed....Newmarket	Metcalf K0A 2P0 L.Hamilton,1 Donaldson Rd.,
482 a Bancroft	2nd Mon....Bancroft	Holland Landing L9N 1J2 D.Davis,General Delivery, RR 1.
483 a Granton.....	1st Mon....Granton.....	Maple Leaf K0L 2R0 S.Malcolm
484 Golden Star	2nd Tues....Dryden.....	C.Mills,257 Huron St.W, Exeter N0M 1S2 J.Rutter,154 St Charles St, Dryden P8N 1L7
486 a Silver.....	1st Mon....Halleybury	R.Mathews,Box 849, Halleybury P0J 1K0
487 Penewobikong	2nd Mon....Blind River.....	F.A.Sles,Box 414, Blind River P0R 1B0
488 a King Edward	2nd Wed....Harrow	W.Findlay 66 Munger Ave E., Harrow N0R 1G0
490 Hirran	2nd Thurs....Markdale.....	J.Lemon
491 Cardinal	3rd Tues....Iroquois.....	L.Wylie, RR 6. Markdale N0C 1H0 P.Riddell,Box 329,
492 Karmak	1st Wed....Orillia.....	Cardinal K0E 1E0 T.Paylor,2748 Upper Big Chute Rd. RR 1,Coldwater L0K 1E0
494 a Riverdale Robertson	3rd Tues....Toronto	D.Owen,101 Commonwealth Ave., Scarborough M1K 4K6
495 The Electric.....	3rd Wed....Hamilton	D.Washer,506-8805 Maple Ave., Burlington L7S 2L7
496 University	2nd Thurs....Toronto	1 Fraser 44-2155 South Millway, Mississauga L5L 3S1
497 St. Andrew's	3rd Fri....Northbrook	H.O'Brien,Box 52, Clayne K0H 1K0

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498	a King George V	1st Mon.....	Coboconk	G. Stokes.....	T. Hodgson, 224 Cty Rd 44, Burnt River K0M 1C0
499	a Port Arthur	2nd Mon....	Thunder Bay	T. Dark.....	M. Abbott, RR 1,
500	a Rose	2nd Wed....	Windsor	O. Houser.....	Murillo P.O. 2G0 Windsor N9E 2Z5
501	Connaught	2nd Thurs..	Etiobicoke.....	W. Holtham.....	N Seawright, 1540 Pinetree Cres, Mississauga L5G 2S8
502	Coronation	1st Mon.....	Smithville.....	B. Daniel.....	R. Hunter, PO Box 335, 135 Rock St., Smithville L0R 2A0
503	Inwood	(November 2005 amalgamated with Lodge No. 158)			
504	Otter	2nd Tues.....	... Lombardy.....	C. Robson.....	W. Lesurf, Box 603, Smyths Falls K7A 4T0
505	a Lynden	1st Wed.....	Lynden.....	W. McCormack	B. Buchanan, 141 Elliot St, Cambridge N1R 2K2
506	Porcupine	1st Thurs.....	Timmins.....	P. Lilley.....	T. Pachal, 107 Seneca Cres, Timmins P4N 7Y3
507	Elk Lake	2nd Tues.....	Elk Lake	D. Blackwell.....	C. Pinkerton, Box 135, Elk Lake P0J 1G0
508	621as	3rd Sat.....	Burford	R. McSkimmings	P. Scott, 14-25 Cobden Court, Brantford N3R 8B5
509	Twin City	2nd Fri.....	Waterloo	C. Barnes.....	J. Pattison, 158 Upper Canada Dr, Kitchener N2P 1E5
510	Perfect Column	2nd Wed	Etiobicoke	D. Leong	E. McLean, 43 Thordale Rd, Brampton L6P 1G9
511	a Connaught	3rd Mon....	Thunder Bay	T. Appelt	L. Swan 416 Brown St., Thunder Bay P7E 2K2
512	Malone	1st Wed	Sutton West	D. Holland	G. Forrest, PO Box 783, Sutton L0E 1R0
513	a Corinthian	4th Thurs.....	Hamilton	B. Carr.....	D. Downey, 53 Abbington Dr, Hamilton L9C 4R2
515	a Reba	2nd Fri.....	Brantford	N. Schofield	D. Murray, 30 Crandell Ave, Brantford N3S 1C9
516	Enterprise	Last Mon ...	Beachburg	A. Kehoe	M. Anderson, Box 17, Beachburg K0J 1C0
517	Hazdean	3rd Wed	Kanata	D. Mancauso	L. Fitz-Gerald, 149 Finneridge Rd., D. Mancauso

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Deaths

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Joined

Passed

Militated

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543	a Imperial East Gate.....	2nd Wed....Scarborough.....	D.Surov.....	E.Bereti,106 Godwood Park Crt 100, East York M4C 2H1	V.Lapp,PH 2-222 Jackson St W, Hamilton L8P 4S5	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	94	95
544	a Lincoln.....	1st Thurs...Abingdon.....	A.Ward.....	W.Lang,5 Ryerson Place, St.Thomas N5R 4R9	T.Lloyd,1292 Forest Hill, Oakville L6H 2S4	1	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	70
546	Talbot.....	2nd Wed...St.Thomas.....	P.Mathews.....	W.Lang,5 Ryerson Place, St.Thomas N5R 4R9	B.Cice,13 Nellyd Lane, Uxbridge L9P 1Y1	1	1	2	1	0	3	8	0	146
547	a Victoria.....	2nd Thurs....Toronto	T.Hall.....	T.Lloyd,1292 Forest Hill, Oakville L6H 2S4	B.Cice,13 Nellyd Lane, Uxbridge L9P 1Y1	3	3	0	0	0	0	9	0	77
548	a General Mercer	2nd Fri.....Toronto	R.Adams.....	W.Brimmer,2023 Cavendish Dr, Burlington L7P 1Y9	W.Fulton,70 Jerome Park Dr, Dundas L9H 6H3	2	3	1	2	0	2	2	1	58
549	a Ionic.....	1st Wed Hamilton	V.Balta	J.Oliver.....	L.Mathews,154 Rainbow Dr, Hamilton L8K 4E9	5	3	1	1	0	2	5	4	132
550	Buchanan	1st Thurs....Hamilton	D.Falconer.....	C.Fairthorne,1390 Lincoln Rd, Windsor N8Y 2J1	J.Thombs.....	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	2	61
551	Tuscan	1st Thurs....Hamilton	J.Oliver.....	J.Thombs.....	J.Lyness,701-21 Ben Lomond Pl, Hamilton L8V 2T1	2	1	0	1	0	4	3	0	80
554	Border Cities	1st Wed Windsor	H.Cook.....	M.MacDonald	J.Hunter,5031 Rock St, RR 4, Spencerville KOE X0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	52
555	Wardrobe	4th Mon....Hamilton	J.Thombs.....	D.Coulombe	B.Barkley,2113 Boundary Rd, Chesterville K1C 1H0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	51
556	Nation.....	2nd Wed ... Spencerville	M.MacDonald	J.Christie	R.Booth,4 Westpointe Cres, Ottawa K2G 5Z1	4	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	59
557	Finch.....	1st Thurs....Ingleside	D.Coulombe	M.Donin,7 Townsite Blvd #1703, Thornhill L4J 1Z9	M.Moor,1504 Queensdale Ave, Ottawa K1T 4G3	4	5	0	1	0	4	7	1	239
558	Sidney Albert Luke	2nd Wed....Ottawa	J.Christie	R.Uhrig	R.Morrison,32 Robina Ave, Ottawa K2H 9P9	2	1	1	0	0	2	5	0	103
559	Mosaic	4th Wed....Thornhill	L.Shilling	S.Neil	P.Carr,1867 Canaan Rd, RR 1, Cumberland K4C 1G1	7	1	1	0	0	4	3	0	85
560	St Andrews.....	1st Thurs....Ottawa	F.Matta	W.Boxall,508-4205 Shipp Dr, Markham M9V 2Y9	4	2	2	1	0	3	4	3	162	
561	Acacia.....	3rd Tues....Ottawa	R.Uhrig											157
564	Ashlar	1st Fri Ottawa	S.Neil											
565	a Klwinning.....	3rd Fri.....Toronto	G.Thelwell.....											

26	St. Aidan's.....	3rd Tues.....Scarsborough.....R. Thompson.....J.Lee,135 Mills Rd.	3	1	2	0	0	1	2	5	71	66
568	a Hullett	2nd Tues.....Londesboro.....A.Caldwell.....J.Lee,Box 312.	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	37	35
569	a Doric Corinthian.....	1st Wed.....Lakeside.....M.Seaton.....H.I.Harris,RR 3,	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	0	83	76
570	Dunelm Daylight.....	4th Wed.....Thornhill.....L.Smith.....K.Macdonald,230-16A Elgin St.	0	0	0	3	0	0	2	0	65	66
571	Antiquity	4th Tues.....Toronto.....M.Dossummu.....D.Rennie,5116 Porter St.	0	0	0	0	0	4	9	4	77	60
572	a Mizpah.....	4th Wed.....Maple.....A.Stoyan.....(See note Page 157)	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	49	50
573	Adoniram	1st Mon.....Niagara Falls.....C.Aqui.....D.Russell,6759 Waters Ave.	4	1	3	0	0	3	2	0	92	91
574	Craig	1st Tues.....Alisa Craig.....M.Smith.....M.Jones,18 Robin St, Box 161.	2	0	0	106	0	0	4	0	55	159
575	Trillium	1st Thurs.....Toronto.....S.McConachie.....D.Sheen,19897 Main St.	12	7	10	3	1	2	4	8	234	236
576	a Mimosa	1st Mon.....Toronto.....B.Harper.....A.Iart,9 Glen Eagle Cres.	3	1	1	0	4	0	1	65	64	
577	a St. Clair	3rd Wed.....Thornhill.....P.Nicov.....(See note Page 157)	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	61	62
578	Queen's	2nd Wed.....Kingston.....B.Elliott.....D.Rayner,45 Campbell Cres.	1	5	3	1	0	1	3	1	70	67
579	a Harmony	1st Thurs.....Windsor.....R.Sinclair.....R.Sinclair,1332 Chateau Ave.	1	1	0	0	0	1	3	0	90	87
580	a Acacia.....	(October 2006 amalgamated with Lodge No. 107)	0	0	0	0	2	97	1	0	96	0
581	a Harcourt	3rd Wed.....Toronto.....R.Zimmerman.....H.Zimmerman,70 Lowther Ave, Unit 3,	2	2	2	1	0	0	1	1	75	76
584	a Kaministiquia	3rd Tues.....Thunder Bay.....D.Chorkawy.....A.Gardner,243 Hinion Ave.	3	0	0	1	1	1	5	0	89	88
585	Royal Edward	4th Fri.....Kingston.....W.Martin.....(See note Page 157)	3	3	2	3	0	3	2	0	60	61
586	Remembrance	2nd Fri.....Thornhill.....K.Robinson.....G.Scott,930 Bryson St N.	3	3	0	0	0	1	3	4	77	72
588	National	1st Tues.....Capreol.....D.Keown.....K.Jordan,2 Davenport Cr.	3	1	0	1	2	4	1	1	69	69
590	Defenders	1st Wed.....Ottawa.....G.Noble.....R.Clark,362 Laird Cres.	6	4	0	1	0	2	1	0	87	91
591	North Gate	2nd Thurs.....Ajax.....D.Bergerson	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	58	56
592	a Fairbank	1st Mon.....Toronto.....G.Taylor.....A.Swafford,32 Brunell Ave.	2	1	3	1	1	0	0	5	96	95
593	a St. Andrew's	4th Wed.....Hamilton.....D.Wikinson	3	0	2	3	1	1	7	2	132	129
594	Hillcrest	2nd Mon.....Hamilton.....I.Donald	4	2	2	0	1	1	4	1	111	110

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596	Martintown	2nd Thurs	Lancaster	D.Cooperr.....	D.Ross, General Delivery, St. Andrew's West KOC 2A0	1	2	1	0	0	3	1	0	58	55
597	a Temple	2nd Wed	London	A.Dowling.....	R.Milliken, 1026 Jaha Blvd. London N6L 2M1	0	0	0	1	0	1	3	0	74	71
598	Dominion	1st Wed	Windsor	R.Gellner.....	K.Lorenz, 1529 Moy Ave. Windsor N8X 1J4	4	4	0	0	0	1	2	2	101	100
599	Mount Dennis	1st Wed	Weston	G.Knapp.....	G.Smith, 52 Guernsey Dr. Etobicoke M9C 3A7	0	1	1	0	0	4	9	1	87	73
600	a Maple Leaf	1st Tues	Etobicoke	J.Wolecki	W.Burgoyne, 1 Dunstable Place, Toronto M3R 3A9	3	1	3	0	0	4	3	5	121	112
601	St. Paul	2nd Wed	Sarnia	M.Tynan.....	G.Spence, 1024 Salisbury St. Sarnia N7S 4S3	1	1	0	0	0	1	4	0	84	80
602	a Hugh Murray	3rd Tues	Hamilton	J.Terence	B.Pirie, 526 Acadia Dr. Hamilton L8W 3A4	5	4	2	1	0	4	4	4	149	149
603	a Campbell	1st Tues	Campbellville	B.Agnew	M.Schramm, Box 492, Campbellville L0P 1B0	1	1	0	1	0	2	3	1	59	55
604	a Palace	2nd Thurs	Windsor	K.Tyler	L.Pray, 3108 Everts Ave., Windsor N9E 2V5	0	0	0	1	1	1	3	2	92	87
605	a Melita	(March 2006 amalgamated with Lodge No. 531)				0	0	0	0	0	85	4	1	90	0
606	a Unity	1st Wed	Etobicoke	R.Holliday	K.Stewart, 55-506 Ellerslie Ave., Toronto M2N 1X9	1	0	2	0	0	2	3	3	96	89
608	a Gothic	3rd Mon	Lindsay	C.Buckley.....	R.McMillan, 111 Sanderling Cres., Lindsay K9V 4N5	2	3	1	1	0	1	1	0	94	95
609	Tavistock	2nd Tues	Tavistock	P.Schaefer	E.Dredge, 86 Long Drive, Stratford N5A 7Y9	1	2	2	0	0	0	5	2	75	69
610	a Ashlar	4th Mon	London	J.Simpson	M.Dale, 82-607 Cranbrook Rd., London N6K 2Y4	2	2	3	4	0	2	8	3	107	100
611	Huron-Bruce	1st Thurs	Toronto	P.De Leon	R.Telford, 11 Brandy Lane Way, Newmarket L3Y 8P7	0	1	1	0	0	2	5	10	84	68
612	a Birch Cliff	2nd Fri	Scarborough	J.Arseneault	G.Dickson, 506-205 Wynford Dr., Don Mills M3C 3P4	1	1	1	0	0	7	5	3	153	139
614	Adanac	1st Thurs	St.Catharines	B.Dickinson	F.Demaire, 21 Townline Rd E., St.Catharines L2T 1A2	8	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	75	82
615	Dominion	1st Thurs	Fort Erie	V.Ferguson	M.Vanderkant, 3486 Marlbrough Place, Niagara Falls L2J 2S3	2	0	0	0	0	4	5	0	68	61

618	a Norm Bay	2nd Fri.....	North Bay	W.W.McBride
618 a Thunder Bay	.....1st Thurs.....Thunder Bay	.....B.Nelson.....	.....R.Mullen,395 Fort William Rd.	.....4 0 1 1 0 2 2 5 110 106
619 Rummmeds	.....2nd Wed.....Toronto	.....J.Milicello .....	.....B.Hillier,402-57 Widdicombe Hill Blvd,	.....6 6 4 1 0 1 2 2 84 86
620 a Quinte St Albans	.....4th Mon.....Thornhill	.....V.Lombardo .....	.....Eloboike M9R 1Y4	.....3 0 0 0 0 2 3 0 111 109
621 Frontenac	.....2nd Fri.....Sharbot Lake	.....J.McKinnon .....	.....I.Nichols,51 Lyall Ave., Toronto M4E 1W1	.....0 0 1 0 0 0 2 0 48 46
622 Lone	.....1st Thurs.....Chapleau	.....S.Paquette .....	.....V.Garrett,RR 2, Sharbott Lake KOH 2PO D.Broomhead,Box 142, Chapleau P0M 1K0	.....2 0 0 0 0 1 2 0 63 62
623 Doric	.....2nd Thurs.....Kirkland Lake	.....H.Pysklywec .....	.....P.Matjek,5 George St., Kirkland Lake P2N 3G7	.....2 1 0 0 0 2 3 1 87 83
624 a Dereham	.....1st Tues.....Mount Elgin	.....D.Paton .....	.....A.Forrester,RR 7, Tillsonburg N4G 4H1	.....0 0 0 0 1 2 0 64 61
625 a Hatherly	.....2nd Thurs.....Sault Ste. Marie	.....W.Wishman .....	.....D.Lillie,94 Birch St., Sault Ste Marie P0M 2J6	.....3 0 0 0 0 3 0 3 89 86
627 Pelee	.....1st Tues.....Pele Island	.....E.Ball .....	.....C.O'lara,781 East West Rd., Pelee Island N0R 1M0	.....0 0 0 3 0 1 1 0 28 29
628 a Glenrose	.....3rd Tues.....Elmira	.....R.Brown .....	.....W.Clemens,12 South St W., Elmira N3B 1K7	.....0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 68 69
629 Greenville	.....2nd Wed.....Thornhill	.....A.Lazaro .....	.....L.Liu,3374 Colanbine Cres., Mississauga L5N 6A9	.....1 2 2 0 6 2 0 79 73
630 a Prince Of Wales	.....4th Fri.....Toronto	.....B.McCarter .....	.....A.Battle,710 Queen St E., Mount Forest N0G 2L3	.....4 2 2 0 0 2 1 5 56 52
631 Manitou	.....3rd Thurs.....Eno	.....G.Hoskins .....	.....W.McQuaker,RR 1, Devlin P0W 1C0	.....1 1 0 0 0 1 2 57 55
632 a Long Branch	.....3rd Tues.....Eloboike	.....H.McKnight .....	.....H.Camkey,250-308 Twelfth St., Eloboike M8V 3Y8	.....0 2 2 3 1 1 2 2 58 57
633 a Hastings	.....4th Wed.....Norwood	.....R.Reid .....	.....F.Pelletier,5720 Rosemere 14dg Rd., Rosenzath K0K 2X0	.....0 0 0 0 0 2 2 0 46 42
634 a Delta	.....2nd Tues.....Aurora	.....D.Ryckman .....	.....W.Thompson, Box 27076, Rexdale M9W 6S8	.....3 2 1 1 0 0 1 0 49 52
635 Wellington	.....2nd Wed.....Maple	.....N.Jubran .....	.....J.Khashtani,25 Bronte Rd., Thornhill L3T 7J9	.....7 2 1 3 0 1 6 5 80 78
636 a lommapayne	.....2nd Wed.....Hornepayne	.....D.Jareny .....	.....E.Rendell,179 First St., Hornepayne P0M 1Z0	.....0 0 0 0 0 3 2 63 58
637 a Caledonia	.....3rd Mon.....Scarborough	.....A.Wilson .....	.....B.Pyper,73 Millwood Rd., Toronto M4G 1V7	.....1 1 1 2 8 12 4 207 187
638 Bedford	.....(September 2006 amalgamated with Lodge No. 156)			.....1 0 2 0 35 8 0 40 0
639 a Beach	.....2nd Tues.....Stoney Creek			.....1 1 4 1 1 2 3 2 102 98
640 a Anthony Sayer	.....3rd Fri.....Eloboike			.....N.Paterson,82 Gardner Dr., Hamilton L9C 4V2
642 a St Andrew's2nd Fri.....Windsor		R.Shee,1515 Lakeshore Rd E, FH 7, Mississauga L5E 3J2
			A.Vojvodin,2764 St Patrick's St., Windsor N0E 2G5

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643 a	Cathedral	3rd Wed....	Toronto.....	F. Dooley.....	J. Saraidaris, 1801-1010 Broadview Ave, Toronto M4K 2R8
644	Sincoo	2nd Thurs....	Toronto.....	K. Solanki	11 Schulz 14 Kingfisher Cove Way, Markham L6E 1B4
645 a	Lake Shore	1st Mon....	Toronto	H. Ham	W. Armstrong 257 Aldercrest Rd, Toronto M8W 4J9
646 a	Rowland	1st Tues....	Mt. Albert.....	C. Sooley	W. Leek, 250 Fleiner Ave, Newmarket L3Y 4L9
647 a	Fodnorden	2nd Thurs....	Toronto	J. Rodrigues	A. Galusko, 2701-275 Main St, Toronto M4C 4X4
649 a	Temple	3rd Tues....	Oshawa.....	S. Bush	W. MacLeod, 460 Holcan Ave, Oshawa L1J 5X6
650	Fidelity	4th Tues....	Toledo	T. McDonnell	W. Bell, 748 Kiteley Line 3, RR 2, Jasper K0G 1G0
651 a	Dentonia	1st Thurs....	Toronto	E. Russell	J. Forsyth, 141 Glebe mount Ave, Toronto M4C 3S4
653 a	Scarboro	2nd Mon....	Scarborough	D. Ecklund	A. Ecklund, 517 Malan Ave., Oshawa L1J 8L8
654	Ancient Landmarks	4th Tues....	Hamilton	I. MacLean	W. MacPherson, 126 Lowden Ave, Ancaster L9G 3A3
655 a	Kingsway	3rd Mon....	Etobicoke	G. Simos	G. Bannister, 44 Stanley Terrace, Toronto M6L 2R4
656 a	Kenogamisis	1st Wed	Geraldton	M. Hay	P. Gilbert, 304 Main St, Beardmore P0T 1G0
657	Corinthian	3rd Tues....	Kirkland Lake	R. Owen	T. Turner, RR 2, Site 5 Box 37, Swastika P0K 1T0
658	Sudbury	3rd Mon....	Sudbury	G. Cayen	A. Hill, 157 Old Falconbridge Rd, Sudbury P3A 4N9
659	Equity	2nd Tues....	Orillia.....	G. Roehner	S. Shirk, 12 Champlain Cres, Warnister L0K 2G0
660	Chukuni	2nd Wed....	Red Lake	M. Rogowsky	M. Rogowsky, Box 660, Red Lake P0V 2M0
661 a	St. Andrew's	4th Fri.....	St. Catharines.....	G. Kelly	W. Powell, 21 Acadia Cres, St Catharines L2P 1H7
662	Terrace Bay	2nd Thurs....	Terrace Bay	T. O'Neill	R. Collings, Box 801, Marathon P0T 2E0
663	Brant	3rd Mon....	Burlinton	I. Collins	W. Franklin 314 Maclerose Dr.

Suspensions

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664	Sunnylea2nd Thurs...Eubiooke.....	R. McLean,110-6520 B Traconer Dr., Mississauga L5N 1M1
665	Temple	.....1st Tues.....Ottawa	D.Saikaley .....R. Williams,26 Harris Place, Nepean K2G 2P2
666	a Temple	.....1st Mon.....Belleville.....	R. Hewton .....(See note Page 157)
667	a Composite	.....3rd Wed.....Hamilton	R. Gordon .....H. Hobbs, 15-151 Gateshead Cres, Stoney Creek L8E 3W1
668	Aitkakan	.....2nd Wed.....Aitkakan	J. Johnson .....R. Marquardt,105 Dogwood Cr., Aitkakan P0T 1C0
669	Corinthian	.....2nd Thurs...Inglestide	K.Copping .....E.Mercer,864 Chelsea Cres, Cornwall K6L 6Y6
670	a West Hill	.....1st Wed.....Scarborough.....	J.Ouellette, 14-300 Invergordon Ave, Scarborough,1601-1 James St South, R.Beres,1601-1 James St South, Hamilton L8P 4R5
671	a Westmount	.....4th Tues.....Hamilton	D.Midgley .....R. Beres,1601-1 James St South, Hamilton L8P 4R5
672	Superior	.....2nd Wed....Red Rock.....	R. Manz .....J.Varocky,Box 411, Nipigon P0T 2J0
673	Kempenfeldt	.....1st Tues.....Barrie.....	R. Greer .....H.Nash,221 Little Ave, Barrie L4N 6L1
674	South Gate	.....1st Tues.....Port Credit	Z.Mallah .....H. McGregor,895 Calder Rd, Mississauga L5J 2N6
675	a Wm. J. Dunlop	.....3rd Wed.....Peterborough.....	P.Rhodes .....C.Neads,615 Walkerfield Ave, Peterborough K9J 4V9
676	a Kroy	.....3rd Fri.....Thornhill	M.Soler .....S.Lockhart,222 Pearson St, No. 5, Oshawa L1G 7C6
677	a Coronation	.....2nd Mon ...Eubiooke.....	J.Craymer .....(See note Page 157)
678	a Mercer Wilson	.....3rd Wed....Woodstock.....	S.Revell .....R.Oliphant,55 Alladore Cres, Woodstock N4S 5G3
679	Celticana	.....3rd Tues.....Hamilton	C.Tootell,1121 Mohawk Rd E., Hamilton L8T 2S4
680	Woodland	.....2nd Wed....Wawa	R.Watson .....B.Duncan Box 1844, Wawa P0S 1K0
681	a Claude M. Kent	.....2nd Wed....Oakville	J.Whitehead .....J.Ferguson,1423 Brenner Cres, Burlington L7P 2V9
682	Astra	.....2nd Thurs...Weston	V.Regis .....D.Dewar,661 longsword Dr, Toronto M1V 3A3
683	a Wexford	.....1st Fri.....Scarborough.....	T.Ryan .....G.Newall,98 Fairmeadow Place, Whitchurch L1N 8V8
684	a Centennial	.....1st Tues.....London	R.McLeod .....D.Muill,262 Ambleside Dr, London N6G 4V4
685	Joseph A. Learm	.....2nd Fri.....Port Credit	A.Jabier .....R.Ardalic,2467 Cleanworth Cres, Mississauga L5K 1G4
686	A. Learm2nd Tues....Pembroke.....	I.Warner,25 Ralphpark Ave, Stittsville K0A 3G0
687	Meridian2nd Wed....Ancaster.....	R.Joyce,1023 Garth St, Hamilton L9C 4L5

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DENOTES DAYLIGHT LODGE

No.	Lodge	Night of Meeting	Where Held	W. Master	Secy. and Address	Initiated	Passed	Raised	Joined	Restored	Resigned	Deceased	Suspended	Deaths	Deceased 2006	Deceased 2005	Deceased 2004
688	a Wyndham.....	3rd Wed.....	Guelph.....	J. Millar.....	11 Hill, 19 Ireland Pl., Guelph N1E 7C2	6	4	0	0	0	1	0	58	63			
689	Flower City.....	2nd Thurs.....	Brampton.....	R. Phillips.....	S. Elliston, 12 Cresswell Dr., Brampton L6Y 2T6	2	0	1	1	0	6	4	3	160	149		
690	a Temple.....	3rd Wed.....	Waterloo.....	A. Atkins.....	D. Oliver, 30 Pinehurst Cres., Kitchener N2N 1E4	3	2	4	0	0	1	0	2	81	81		
691	a Friendship.....	2nd Wed.....	Sudbury.....	S. Khouri.....	B. Stoddart, 95 Claudia Cr., Sudbury P3A 4C1	4	2	2	0	1	0	2	1	87	89		
692	Thos. H. Simpson.....	(March 2006 amalgamated with Lodge No. 166).....				2	1	0	0	0	76	0	3	77	0		
695	Parkwood.....	2nd Thurs.....	Oshawa.....	I. Dewar.....	B. James, 545 Columbus Rd East, Brooklin L1M 1Z6	1	2	4	0	0	1	0	0	124	124		
696	a Harry L Martyn.....	2nd Wed.....	Toronto.....	J. Conley.....	M. McKenna 5 Merrdin Place, Don Mills M3B 1S7	4	3	4	0	0	0	1	2	67	68		
697	Grantham.....	Last Mon.....	St. Catharines.....	N. Langlois.....	N. Pemberton, 210-76 Ruehampton, St Catharines L2M 7W5	1	1	1	0	2	6	0	2	83	78		
698	Elliot Lake.....	2nd Wed.....	Elliot Lake.....	P. Crossland.....	R. Prout, 102-4 Pine Rd, Elliot Lake P5A 2L1	7	4	3	3	1	4	5	2	129	129		
699	a Bethel.....	2nd Fri.....	Sudbury.....	D. Carscallen.....	J. Thomson, 1409 Redfern St., Sudbury P3A 3S8	4	3	2	1	0	0	1	2	79	81		
701	Ashlar.....	3rd Thurs.....	Tillsonburg.....	P. Woods.....	L. Hicks, 185106 Cornell Rd, RR 3, Tillsonburg N4G 4G8	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	97	95		
702	a Lodge Of Fellowship.....	4th Tues.....	Richmond Hill.....	R. Guerero.....	J. Sinclair, 661 Lawnwood Ct., Richmond Hill L4C 4T2	8	4	2	4	0	4	1	3	66	70		
703	a Lodge Of The Pillars.....	3rd Mon.....	Thornhill.....	J. Silbert.....	J. Lazar, 66 Dunsmore Cres., Richmond Hill L4C 0C5	1	2	2	1	0	0	0	1	71	72		
704	Aurum.....	1st Mon.....	Timmins.....	T. Firth.....	P. Zudel, 379 Maple St S., Timmins P4N 1Z7	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	42	43		
705	a Universe.....	2nd Tues.....	Scarborough.....	D. Stamatakis.....	J. Law, 14 Aspendale Dr., Toronto M1P 4J6	6	4	1	0	1	2	0	6	66	65		
706	David T. Campbell.....	3rd Thurs.....	Whitby.....	C. McComish.....	R. Murphy, 108-19 Regency Cres., Whitby L1N 8M6	7	4	5	2	0	0	5	7	181	178		
708	a Oakridge.....	3rd Thurs.....	London.....	G. Maitland.....	J. Angus, 28-587 Cranbrook Rd., London N8K 2T4	3	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	59	61		
710	Unity.....	1st Thurs.....	Brampton.....	A. Coles.....	A. Roissl, 70 Pezzack St., Cambridge N1C 3R6	2	3	2	0	0	4	0	1	140	137		

714	Battlefield	4th Mon.....4th Mon.....Stoney Creek	G.Tait.....G.Tait.....	1	1	0	3	0	5	70	66
716	Ionic	3rd Wed.....London.....A.Road.....	R.Woodard.....R.Woodard M8Y 2Y7 Hamilton L9C 6P7	3	1	2	0	0	0	0	100
718	Twin Lakes	3rd Wed.....Orillia.....J.McMahon	C.More,49 Cowan Ave., London N6C 4E8	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	101
719	Otisippi	(October 2006 – surrendered charter).....	R.Martin,2651 Bass Lake, Side Rd E. RR 1,Orillia L3V 6H1	1	1	1	0	0	1	2	88
721	Bytown	3rd Thurs.....Ottawa	R.Farrell,14 Penitland Cres., Ottawa K2K 1V5	0	0	0	0	67	1	0	68
722	a Concord	1st Thurs.....Cambridge	D.Kaufman,441 Franklin St N, Kitchener N2A 1Z2	4	2	1	0	6	3	2	77
723	Brotherhood	4th Wed.....Waterloo	A.Kennedy,670 Rhine Fall Dr., Waterloo N2V 2Y5	5	1	1	0	0	0	1	43
724	a Trillium	3rd Thurs.....Guelph	B.Shaw,7 Harcourt Dr., Guelph N1G 1J7	3	1	3	0	0	0	1	76
725	a Wellington Square	2nd Thurs.....Burlington	R.Bush,5187 Broughton Cr., Burlington L7L 3C1	3	4	3	2	1	7	1	2
727	Mount Moriah	3rd Mon.....Brampton	C.Kourtestols.....C.Brown,3253 Chokeberry Cres., Mississauga L5L 1B1	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	167
729	a Friendship	2nd Wed.....Ajax	K.Fralick,913-1890 Valley Farm Rd., Pickeering L1V 6B4	1	2	1	0	0	2	0	68
730	a Heritage	3rd Wed.....Cambridge	P.Irwin.....K.Campbell,RR 1, Milford K0K 2P0	0	0	0	32	2	18	15	690
732	a Friendship	(May 2006 amalgamated with Lodge No. 321).....	1	0	0	0	73	0	0	72	0
733	Amuletary	2nd Wed.....Elobike	E.Anderson.....S.Poon,57 Tuscarora Dr., Toronto M2H 2K4	1	0	0	3	0	0	4	85
734	Westgate	4th Wed.....Mississauga	A.Clark.....L.Jansurik,38-2020 South Millway, Mississauga L5L 1K2	2	1	0	0	0	2	4	100
735	London Daylight	3rd Wed.....London	R.Nicola.....W.Walker,51028 York Line, RR 1, Belmont N0L 1B0	1	1	0	2	0	0	3	91
736	Edinburgh	1st Wed.....Ottawa	B.Ham.....E.Thornhill,16 Clarkay St., Nepean K2E 5N3	8	4	1	1	0	2	3	88
737	Innisfil	4th Thurs.....Stroud	D.Boyd.....K.Lees,1143 Sunnidale Rd., Barrie L4M 4S4	1	2	0	0	0	1	0	88
738	a Chinguncousy	4th Mon.....Brampton	M.Morton.....M.Rossi,9 Thurrock Rd., North York M3L 1P5	3	5	0	1	0	0	4	159
739	London Daylight	2nd Sat.....Harrowsmith	G.Reid.....R.Beers,RR 3,	0	0	0	2	0	0	4	56
740	Ibrox	2nd Mon....Brampton	Varker K0K 3N0	2	4	1	0	0	0	7	194
741	Liber City Daylight	3rd Wed.....Ottawa	T.Clark.....T.Clark,174 Shephy Rd., Brampton L6V 2T9	0	0	0	3	0	1	8	82
742	Royal City Daylight	4th Thurs.....Guelph	W.Stonehouse,3851 Armilage Ave., Dunrobin K0A 1T0	0	0	0	3	0	1	2	63

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DEGREES DAY IN LODGE		31 Dec 2006										31 Dec 2005										
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744 a	[REDACTED]	4th Tues	Cambridge	D.Cameron	G. Morgan. 2067 Old Mill Rd. Kitchener N2P 1E4	0	0	2	1	0	2	0	45	44	31	31	31	31	31	31		
745	[REDACTED]	2nd Sat	St. Catharines.....	R.McLeman.....	G.Dean. 21 Harcove St. St Catharines L2N 1W7	1	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	47	50	1380	979	843	1107	106	1693	1590

Note: Where no name/address of secretary shown, those lodges either amalgamated or closed during the year 2007.

List of Lodges – By Districts

			Denotes Daylight Lodge
Lodges – 10		ALGOMA DISTRICT	Membership Dec 2006 – 974
	D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Patrick G. Curran, Thunder Bay		
No. 287-Shuniah	Thunder Bay	No. 618–Thunder Bay	Thunder Bay
No. 415–Fort William	Thunder Bay	No. 636–Hornepayne	Hornepayne
No. 499–Port Arthur	Thunder Bay	No. 656–Kenogamisis	Geraldton
No. 511–Connaught	Thunder Bay	No. 662–Terrace Bay	Terrace Bay
No. 584–Kaministiquia	Thunder Bay	No. 672–Superior	Red Rock
Lodges – 8		ALGOMA EAST DISTRICT	Membership Dec 2006 – 758
	D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Patrick W. O'Shaughnessy, Wawa		
No. 412–Keystone	Sault Ste. Marie	No. 622–Lorne	Chapleau
No. 442–Dymet	Thessalon	No. 625–Hatherly	Sault Ste. Marie
No. 469–Algoma	Sault Ste. Marie	No. 680–Woodland	Wawa
No. 487–Penewobikong	Blind River	No. 698–Elliot Lake	Elliot Lake
Lodges – 13		BRANT DISTRICT	Membership Dec 2006 – 1,092
	D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Randy J. Hunt, St. George		
No. 35–St. John's	Cayuga	No. 319–Hiram	Hagersville
No. 45–Brant	Brantford	No. 329–King Solomon	Jarvis
No. 82–St. John's	St. George	No. 505–Lynden	Lynden
No. 106–Burford	Burford	No. 508–Ozias	Burford
No. 113–Wilson	Waterford	No. 515–Reba	Brantford
No. 193–Scotland	Oakland	No. 519–Onondaga	Onondaga
No. 243–St. George	St. George		
Lodges – 12		BRUCE DISTRICT	Membership Dec 2006 – 889
	D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Terrance J. Murphy, Chesley		
No. 131–St. Lawrence	Port Elgin	No. 393–Forest	Chesley
No. 197–Saugeen	Walkerton	No. 396–Cedar	Wiarton
No. 235–Aldworth	Chesley	No. 429–Port Elgin	Port Elgin
No. 262–Harriston	Harriston	No. 431–Moravian	Cargill
No. 315–Clifford	Clifford	No. 432–Hanover	Hanover
No. 362–Maple Leaf	Tara	No. 436–Burns	Hepworth
Lodges – 11		CHATHAM DISTRICT	Membership Dec 2006 – 776
	D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Ronald F. Fuller, Ridgetown		
No. 46–Wellington-Victory	Chatham	No. 327–Hammond	Wardsville
No. 245–Tecumseh Sydenham	Thamesville	No. 336–Highgate	Highgate
No. 267–Parthenon	Chatham	No. 391–Howard	Ridgetown
No. 274–Kent	Blenheim	No. 422–Star of the East	Bothwell
No. 282–Lorne	Glencoe	No. 457–Century	Merlin
No. 312–Phyx Baldoon	Wallaceburg		
Lodges – 16		EASTERN DISTRICT	Membership Dec 2006 – 853
	D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Gary C. MacGregor, Elizabethtown		
No. 21a–St. John's	Vankleek Hill	No. 418–Maxville	Maxville
No. 125–Cornwall	Cornwall	No. 439–Alexandria	Alexandria
No. 143–Friendly Brothers'	Iroquois	No. 450–Hawkesbury	Vankleek Hill
No. 186–Plantagenet	Riceville	No. 452–Avonmore	Monkland
No. 207–Lancaster	Lancaster	No. 491–Cardinal	Iroquois
No. 256–Lost Villages	Ingleside	No. 557–Finch	Ingleside
No. 320–Chesterville	Winchester	No. 596–Martintown	Lancaster
No. 383–Henderson	Winchester	No. 669–Corinthian	Cornwall
Lodges – 9		ERIE DISTRICT	Membership Dec 2006 – 614
	D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. R. Bruce Jackson, Wheatley		
No. 34–Thistle	Amherstburg	No. 413–Naphtali	Tilbury
No. 41–St. George's	Kingsville	No. 448–Xenophon	Wheatley
No. 290–Leamington	Leamington	No. 488–King Edward	Harrow
No. 395–Parvaum	Leamington	No. 627–Pelee	Pelee Island
No. 402–Central	Essex		

Lodges - 18	FRONTENAC DISTRICT		Membership Dec 2006 - 1,159
D.D.G.M. - R.W. Bro. Raymond B. Winfield, Gananoque	Kingston	No. 228-Prince Arthur	Bath
No. 3-Ancient St. John's	Napanee	No. 253-Minden	Kingston
No. 9-Union	Kingston	No. 299-Victoria	Centreville
No. 92-Royal Edward of Cataraqui	Harrowsmith	No. 460-Rideau	Seeleys Bay
No. 109-Albion	Bath	No. 497-St. Andrew's	Tamworth
No. 119-Maple Leaf	Napanee	No. 578-Queen's	Kingston
No. 146-Prince of Wales	Newboro	No. 621-Frontenac	Sharbot Lake
No. 157-Simpson	Gananoque	No. 739-Limestone Daylight	Harrowsmith
No. 201-Leeds			

Lodges - 12	GEORGIAN NORTH DISTRICT		Membership Dec 2006 - 1,130
D.D.G.M. - R.W. Bro. Brian E. Seabourn, Victoria Harbour	Collingwood	No. 466-Coronation	Elmvale
No. 90-Manito	Orillia	No. 470-Victoria	Victoria Harbour
No. 192-Orillia	Thornbury	No. 492-Karnak	Orillia
No. 234-Beaver	Midland	No. 538-Earl Kitchener	Midland
No. 249-Caledonian	Stayner	No. 659-Equity	Orillia
No. 266-Northern Light	Midland	No. 718-Twin Lakes	Orillia
No. 348-Georgian			

Lodges - 10	GEORGIAN SOUTH DISTRICT		Membership Dec 2006 - 1,165
D.D.G.M. - R.W. Bro. Wm W. W. McCulloch, Barrie	Barrie	No. 385-Spry	Beeton
No. 96-Corinthian	Barrie	No. 444-Nitetus	Creemore
No. 230-Kerr	Cookstown	No. 467-Tottenham	Tottenham
No. 236-Manitoba	Alliston	No. 673-Kempenfeldt	Barrie
No. 285-Seven Star	Stroud	No. 737-Innisfil	Stroud
No. 304-Minerva			

Lodges - 12	GREY DISTRICT		Membership Dec 2006 - 1,006
D.D.G.M. - R.W. Bro. F. Gordon Hedges, Markdale	Owen Sound	No. 333-Prince Arthur	Flesherton
No. 88-St. George's	Meaford	No. 334-Prince Arthur	Arthur
No. 137-Pythagoras	Mount Forest	No. 377-Lorne	Shelburne
No. 200-St. Alban's	Orangeville	No. 421-Scott	Grand Valley
No. 216-Harris	Durham	No. 449-Dundalk	Dundalk
No. 306-Durham	Owen Sound	No. 490-Hiram	Markdale
No. 322-North Star			

Lodges - 14	HAMILTON DISTRICT A		Membership Dec 2006 - 1,497
D.D.G.M. - R.W. Bro. D. J. Ivan Elliot, Puslinch	Hamilton	No. 551-Tuscan	Hamilton
No. 6-Barton	Hamilton	No. 603-Campbell	Campbellville
No. 40-St. John's	Milton	No. 639-Beach	Stoney Creek
No. 135-St. Clair	Burlington	No. 663-Brant	Burlington
No. 165-Burlington	Millgrove	No. 681-Claude M. Kent	Oakville
No. 357-Waterdown	Oakville	No. 712-Trafalgar	Oakville
No. 400-Oakville	Hamilton	No. 725-Wellington Square	Burlington
No. 475-Dundurn			

Lodges - 12	HAMILTON DISTRICT B		Membership Dec 2006 - 1,167
D.D.G.M. - R.W. Bro. David Gibson Sr., Hamilton	Grimsby	No. 185-Enniskillen	York
No. 7-Union	Stoney Creek	No. 544-Lincoln	Abingdon
No. 27-Strict Observance	Binbrook	No. 593-St. Andrew's	Hamilton
No. 57-Harmony	Hamilton	No. 594-Hillcrest	Hamilton
No. 61-Acacia	Caledonia	No. 667-Composite	Hamilton
No. 62-St. Andrew's	Stoney Creek	No. 714-Battlefield	Stoney Creek
No. 166-Wentworth			

Lodges - 14	HAMILTON DISTRICT C		Membership Dec 2006 - 1,251
D.D.G.M. - R.W. Bro. Eduardo J. Cordero, Hamilton	Dundas	No. 550-Buchanan	Hamilton
No. 100-Valley	Ancaster	No. 555-Wardrobe	Hamilton
No. 272-Seymour	W. Flamboro	No. 602-Hugh Murray	Hamilton
No. 291-Dufferin	Hamilton	No. 654-An Landmarks (... Doric)	Hamilton
No. 324-Temple	Hamilton	No. 671-Westmount	Hamilton
No. 495-Electric	Hamilton	No. 679-Centennial Daylight	Hamilton
No. 513-Corinthian	Hamilton	No. 687-Meridian	Ancaster
No. 549-Ionic			

Lodges - 14

	LONDON EAST DISTRICT	Membership Dec 2006 - 1,763
No. 20-St. John's	D.D.G.M. - R.W. Bro. Ray Charles, London	London
No. 64-Kilwinning		No. 380-Union
No. 190-Belmont		No. 394-King Solomon
No. 300-Mount Olivet		Belmont
No. 344-Merrill		No. 399-Moffat
No. 345-Nilestown		Thorndale
No. 379-Middlesex		No. 597-Temple
		Nilestown
		No. 684-Centennial
		No. 716-Ionic
		Thorndale
		No. 735-London Daylight
		London

Lodges - 13

	LONDON WEST DISTRICT	Membership Dec 2006 - 1,254
No. 42-St. George's	D.D.G.M. - R.W. Bro. David R. B. Kennedy, Dorchester	London
No. 81-St. John's		No. 358-Delaware Valley
No. 107-St. Paul's		Mount Brydges
No. 195-Tuscan		Lambeth
No. 209a-St. John's		London
No. 289-Doric		No. 529-Myra
No. 330-Corinthian		London
		No. 610-Ashlar
		No. 708-Oakridge
		London

Lodges - 8

	MUSKOKA-PARRY SOUND DISTRICT	Membership Dec 2006 - 945
No. 352-Granite	D.D.G.M. - R.W. Bro. Garnet E. Schenk, Gravenhurst	Parry Sound
No. 360-Muskoka		Bracebridge
No. 376-Unity		Huntsville
No. 409-Golden Rule		Gravenhurst
		No. 423-Strong
		No. 434-Algonquin
		No. 443-Powassan
		No. 454-Corona
		Sundridge
		Emsdale
		Powassan
		Burks Falls

Lodges - 15

	NIAGARA DISTRICT A	Membership Dec 2006 - 1,487
No. 2-Niagara	D.D.G.M. - R.W. Bro. J. David Prudhomme, St. Catharines	Niagara-on-the-Lake
No. 15-St. George's		St. Catharines
No. 32-Amity		Dunnville
No. 103-Maple Leaf		St. Catharines
No. 115-Ivy		Beamsville
No. 221-Mountain		St. Catharines
No. 277-Seymour		St. Catharines
No. 296-Temple		St. Catharines
	No. 338-Dufferin	Wellandport
	No. 502-Coronation	Smithville
	No. 614-Adanac	St. Catharines
	No. 616-Perfection	St. Catharines
	No. 661-St. Andrew's	St. Catharines
	No. 697-Grantham	St. Catharines
	745-Brock Daylight	St. Catharines

Lodges - 11

	NIAGARA DISTRICT B	Membership Dec 2006 - 953
No. 105-St. Mark's	D.D.G.M. - R.W. Bro. Robert W. Piper, Welland	Niagara Falls
No. 168-Merritt		Welland
No. 169-Macnab		Port Colborne
No. 254-Clifton		Niagara Falls
No. 337-Myrtle		Port Robinson
	No. 372-Palmer	Fort Erie
	No. 471-King Edward VII	Niagara Falls
	No. 535-Phoenix	Fonthill
	No. 573-Adoniram	Niagara Falls
	No. 615-Dominion	Fort Erie

Lodges - 7

	NIPISSING EAST DISTRICT	Membership Dec 2006 - 669
No. 405-Mattawa	D.D.G.M. - R.W. Bro. Edward D. Bateman, New Liskeard	North Bay
No. 420-Nipissing		North Bay
No. 447-Sturgeon Falls		Sturgeon Falls
No. 462-Temiskaming		Haileybury
	No. 486-Silver	Haileybury
	No. 507-Elk Lake	Elk Lake
	No. 617-North Bay	North Bay

Lodges - 11

	NORTH HURON DISTRICT	Membership Dec 2006 - 732
No. 93-Northern Light	D.D.G.M. - R.W. Bro. Larry J. Harper, Belgrave	Kincardine
No. 162-Forest		No. 303-Blyth
No. 184-Old Light		No. 314-Blair
No. 225-Bernard		Lucknow
No. 284-St. John's		Listowel
No. 286-Wingham		Brussels
	No. 303-Blyth	Fordwich
	No. 314-Blair	Tiverton
	No. 331-Fordwich	Londesboro
	No. 341-Bruce	
	No. 568-Hullett	

Lodges - 15

	ONTARIO DISTRICT	Membership Dec 2006 - 1,767
No. 17-St. John's	D.D.G.M. - R.W. Bro. Robert E. Jones, Oshawa	Cobourg
No. 26-Ontario		Port Hope
No. 30-Composite		Whitby
No. 31-Jerusalem		Bowmanville
	No. 39-Mount Zion	Brooklin
	No. 66-Durham	Newcastle
	No. 91-Colborne	Colborne
	No. 114-Hope	Port Hope

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ONTARIO DISTRICT (cont'd)

No. 139—Lebanon	Oshawa	No. 649—Temple	Oshawa
No. 270—Cedar	Oshawa	No. 695—Parkwood	Oshawa
No. 325—Orono	Orono	No. 706—David T. Campbell	Whitby
No. 428—Fidelity	Port Perry		

Lodges – 15

OTTAWA DISTRICT 1 Membership Dec 2006 – 1,416

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Barry F. Burchill, Ottawa			
No. 58—Doric	Ottawa	No. 479—Russell	Russell
No. 63—St. John's	Carleton Place	No. 517—Hazeldean	Kanata
No. 147—Mississippi	Almonte	No. 558—Sidney Albert Luke	Ottawa
No. 148—Civil Service	Ottawa	No. 560—St. Andrew's	Ottawa
No. 159—Goodwood	Richmond	No. 561—Acacia	Ottawa
No. 231—Lodge of Fidelity	Ottawa	No. 665—Temple	Ottawa
No. 371—Prince of Wales	Ottawa	No. 736—Edinburgh	Ottawa
No. 465—Carleton	Carp		

Lodges – 15

OTTAWA DISTRICT 2 Membership Dec 2006 – 1,283

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Norman E. Brooks, Carp			
No. 52—Dalhousie	Ottawa	No. 459—Cobden	Cobden
No. 122—Renfrew	Renfrew	No. 526—Ionic	Ottawa
No. 128—Pembroke	Pembroke	No. 564—Ashlar	Ottawa
No. 177—The Builders	Ottawa	No. 590—Defenders	Ottawa
No. 196—Madawaska	Arnprior	No. 686—Atomic Daylight	Pembroke
No. 264—Chaudiere	Ottawa	No. 721—Bytown	Ottawa
No. 433—Bonnechere	Eganville	No. 741—Luxor Daylight	Ottawa

Lodges – 12

PETERBOROUGH DISTRICT Membership Dec 2006 – 1,115

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. O. Harold Grills, Brighton			
No. 101—Corinthian	Peterborough	No. 313—Clementi	Peterborough
No. 126—Golden Rule	Campbellford	No. 374—Keene	Keene
No. 145—J. B. Hall	Millbrook	No. 435—Havelock	Havelock
No. 155—Peterborough	Peterborough	No. 523—Royal Arthur	Peterborough
No. 161—Percy	Warkworth	No. 633—Hastings	Norwood
No. 223—Norwood	Norwood	No. 675—William James Dunlop	Peterborough

Lodges – 14

PRINCE EDWARD DISTRICT Membership Dec 2006 – 1,632

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Gerald A. Davidson, Brighton			
No. 11—Moira	Bellefontaine	No. 123—Belleville-Temple	Bellefontaine
No. 18—Prince Edward	Picton	No. 127—Franck	Frankford
No. 29—United	Brighton	No. 164—Star-in-the-East	Wellington
No. 38—Trent	Trenton	No. 215—Lake	Ameliasburg
No. 48—Madoc/Marmora/Tweed	Madoc	No. 283—Eureka	Bellefontaine
No. 50—Consecon	Consecon	No. 482—Bancroft	Bancroft
No. 69—Stirling	Stirling		

Lodges – 17

ST. LAWRENCE DISTRICT Membership Dec 2006 – 1,363

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Leonard B. Vincent, Delta			
No. 5—Sussex	Brockville	No. 242—Macoy	Lyn
No. 14—True Britons'	Perth	No. 368—Salem	Brockville
No. 24—St. Francis	Smiths Falls	No. 370—Harmony	Philippsville
No. 28—Mount Zion	Kemptville	No. 387—Lansdowne	Lansdowne
No. 55—Merrickville	Burritt's Rapids	No. 416—Lyn	Lyn
No. 74—St. James	Brockville	No. 504—Otter	Lombardy
No. 85—Rising Sun	Athens	No. 556—Nation	Spencerville
No. 110—Central	Prescott	No. 650—Fidelity	Toledo
No. 209—Evergreen	Lanark		

Lodges – 10

ST. THOMAS DISTRICT Membership Dec 2006 – 1,099

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. David W. Nichols, St. Thomas			
No. 44—St. Thomas	St. Thomas	No. 171—Prince of Wales	Iona Station
No. 94—St. Mark's	Port Stanley	No. 232—Cameron	Dutton
No. 120—Warren	Fingal	No. 302—St. David's	St. Thomas
No. 140—Malahide	Aylmer	No. 364—Dufferin	Melbourne

ST. THOMAS DISTRICT (cont'd)

No. 386—West Elgin	West Lorne	No. 546—Talbot	St. Thomas
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Lodges — 17

SARNIA DISTRICT		Membership Dec 2006 — 1,451	
No. 56—Victoria	Sarnia	No. 307—Arkona	Arkona
No. 83—Beaver	Strathroy	No. 328—Ionic	Napier
No. 116—Cassia	Thedford	No. 392—Huron	Camlachie
No. 153—Burns'	Wyoming	No. 397—Leopold	Brigden
No. 158—Alexandra-Inwood	Oil Springs	No. 419—Liberty	Sarnia
No. 194—Petrolia Washington	Petrolia	No. 425—St. Clair	Sombra
No. 238—Havelock	Watford	No. 437—Tuscan	Sarnia
No. 294—Moore	Sarnia	No. 601—St. Paul	Sarnia

Lodges — 13

SOUTH HURON DISTRICT		Membership Dec 2006 — 1,131	
D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Allan M. Stewart, St. Marys			
No. 33—Maitland	Goderich	No. 224—Huron	Hensall
No. 73—St. James	St. Marys	No. 309—Morning Star	Carlow
No. 84—Clinton	Cobourg	No. 332—Stratford	Stratford
No. 133—Lebanon Forest	Exeter	No. 456—Elma	Monkton
No. 141—Tudor	Mitchell	No. 483—Granton	Granton
No. 144—Tecumseh	Stratford	No. 574—Craig	Ailsa Craig
No. 170—Britannia	Seaforth		

Lodges — 9

SUDBURY-MANITOULIN DIST		Membership Dec 2006 — 957	
D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Peter L. Gordon, Gore Bay			
No. 427—Nickel	Sudbury	No. 588—National	Capreol
No. 455—Doric	Little Current	No. 658—Sudbury	Sudbury
No. 472—Gore Bay	Gore Bay	No. 691—Friendship	Sudbury
No. 527—Espanola	Espanola	No. 699—Bethel	Sudbury
No. 536—Algonquin	Sudbury		

Lodges — 8

TEMISKAMING DISTRICT		Membership Dec 2006 — 531	
D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Richard R. Kallio, Kirkland Lake			
No. 506—Porcupine	Timmins	No. 540—Abitibi	Iroquois Falls
No. 528—Golden Beaver	Timmins	No. 623—Doric	Kirkland Lake
No. 530—Cochrane	Cochrane	No. 657—Corinthian	Kirkland Lake
No. 534—Englehart	Englehart	No. 704—Aurum	Timmins

Lodges — 23

TORONTO DON Valley DISTRICT		Membership Dec 2006 — 2,253	
D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Keith F. MacDonald, Thornhill			
No. 16—St. Andrew's	Toronto	No. 570—Dufferin	Thornhill
No. 25—Ionic	Toronto	No. 581—Harcourt	Toronto
No. 86—Zetland Wilson	Toronto	No. 586—Remembrance	Thornhill
No. 156—York	Toronto	No. 592—Fairbank	Toronto
No. 265—Patterson Grey	Thornhill	No. 611—Huron-Bruce	Toronto
No. 316—Doric	Thornhill	No. 620—Quinte St. Alban's	Thornhill
No. 367—St. George	Toronto	No. 629—Grenville	Thornhill
No. 522—Mount Sinai	Thornhill	No. 676—Kroy	Thornhill
No. 531—High Park Melita	Thornhill	No. 696—Harry L. Martyn	Toronto
No. 542—Metropolitan	Toronto	No. 703—Lodge of the Pillars	Thornhill
No. 559—Mosaic	Thornhill		

Lodges — 24

TORONTO EAST DISTRICT		Membership Dec 2006 — 2,336	
D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Robert McDowell, Markham			
No. 75—St. Johns	Scarborough	No. 567—St. Aidan's	Scarborough
No. 269—Brougham Union	Claremont	No. 576—Mimosa	Toronto
No. 384—Alpha	Toronto	No. 591—North Gate	Ajax
No. 424—Doric	Ajax	No. 612—Birch Cliff	Scarborough
No. 430—Acacia	Toronto	No. 637—Caledonia	Scarborough
No. 473—Beaches	Scarborough	No. 643—Cathedral	Toronto
No. 494—Riverdale JR Robertson	Toronto	No. 647—Todmorden	Toronto
No. 520—Coronati	Scarborough	No. 651—Dentonria	Toronto
No. 532—Canada	Ajax	No. 653—Scarboro	Scarborough
No. 543—Imperial East Gate	Scarborough	No. 670—West Hill	Scarborough
No. 541—Tuscan	Toronto	No. 683—Wexford	Scarborough

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TORONTO EAST DISTRICT (cont'd)

No. 705—Universe	Scarborough	No. 729—Friendship	Ajax
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Lodges — 23

TORONTO HUMBER VALLEY DISTRICT Membership Dec 2006 — 2,193			
D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Paul J. Monaghan, Toronto			
No. 65—Rehoboam	Etobicoke	No. 571—Antiquity	Toronto
No. 86—Zetland Wilson	Toronto	No. 575—Trillium	Toronto
No. 247—Ashlar St. Clair	Toronto	No. 599—Astra-Mt. Dennis	Weston
No. 305—Humber	Weston	No. 600—Maple Leaf	Etobicoke
No. 339—Orient	Toronto	No. 606—Unity	Etobicoke
No. 343—Georgina	Toronto	No. 644—Simcoe	Toronto
No. 369—Mimico	Etobicoke	No. 655—Kingsway	Etobicoke
No. 410—Zeta-Shamrock	Toronto	No. 664—Sunnylea	Etobicoke
No. 510—Perfect Column	Etobicoke	No. 713—Bridgewood	Etobicoke
No. 537—Ulster	Toronto	No. 733—Anniversary	Etobicoke
No. 547—Victory	Toronto		

Lodges — 22

TORONTO WEST DISTRICT Membership Dec 2006 — 2,463			
D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Charles A. Woods, Mississauga			
No. 229—Ionic	Brampton	No. 632—Long Branch	Etobicoke
No. 356—River Park	Streetsville	No. 640—Anthony Sayer	Etobicoke
No. 474—Victoria	Toronto	No. 645—Lake Shore	Etobicoke
No. 496—University	Toronto	No. 674—South Gate	Mississauga
No. 501—Connaught	Etobicoke	No. 685—Joseph A. Hearn	Mississauga
No. 524—Mississauga	Mississauga	No. 689—Flower City	Brampton
No. 548—General Mercer	Toronto	No. 710—Unity	Brampton
No. 565—Kilwinning	Toronto	No. 727—Mount Moriah	Brampton
No. 566—King Hiram	Toronto	No. 734—West Gate	Streetsville
No. 619—Runnymede	Toronto	No. 738—Chinguacousy	Brampton
No. 630—Prince of Wales	Toronto	No. 740—Ibrox	Brampton

Lodges — 23

TORONTO YORK DISTRICT Membership Dec 2006 — 2,104			
D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. G. S. Joe Whitmore, Newmarket			
No. 22—King Solomon's	Richmond Hill	No. 220—Zeredatha	Uxbridge
No. 23—Richmond	Richmond Hill	No. 292—Robertson	Aurora
No. 54—Maple	Maple	No. 311—Blackwood	Maple
No. 79—Simcoe	Bradford	No. 438—Harmony	Queensville
No. 87—Markham Union	Stouffville	No. 468—Peel	Caledon East
No. 97—Sharon	Queensville	No. 481—Corinthian	Newmarket
No. 98—True Blue	Bolton	No. 512—Malone	Sutton
No. 99—Tuscan	Newmarket	No. 634—Delta	Aurora
No. 118—Union	Schomberg	No. 635—Wellington	Maple
No. 129—Rising Sun	Aurora	No. 646—Rowland	Mount Albert
No. 136—Richardson	Stouffville	No. 702—Lodge of Fellowship	Richmond Hill

Lodges — 14

VICTORIA DISTRICT Membership Dec 2006 — 1,012			
D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Donald M. Burgomaster, Peterborough			
No. 77—Faithful Brethren	Lindsay	No. 440—Arcadia	Minden
No. 268—Verulam	Bobcaygeon	No. 451—Somerville	Kinmount
No. 354—Brock	Cannington	No. 463—North Entrance	Haliburton
No. 375—Lorne	Omemee	No. 464—King Edward	Sunderland
No. 398—Victoria	Kirkfield	No. 477—Harding	Woodville
No. 406—Spry	Fenelon Falls	No. 498—King George V	Coboconk
No. 408—Murray	Beaverton	No. 608—Gothic	Lindsay

Lodges — 15

WATERLOO DISTRICT Membership Dec 2006 — 1,041			
D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Glenn Russell, Kitchener			
No. 72—Alma	Cambridge	No. 509—Twin City	Waterloo
No. 151—Grand River	Waterloo	No. 539—Waterloo	Waterloo
No. 172—Ayr	Ayr	No. 628—Glenrose	Elmira
No. 205—New Dominion	Elmira	No. 690—Temple	Waterloo
No. 257—Galt	Cambridge	No. 722—Concord	Cambridge
No. 279—Mystic Tie	Cambridge	No. 723—Brotherhood	Waterloo
No. 297—Preston	Cambridge	No. 744—New Light	
No. 318—Wilmet	Baden		

Lodges - 12

	WELLINGTON DISTRICT	Membership Dec 2006 - 949
D.D.G.M. - R.W. Bro. Donald J. Hamilton, Guelph		
No. 180-Speed	Guelph	No. 321-Walker Friendship
No. 203-Irvine	Fergus	No. 347-Mercer
No. 219-Credit	Georgetown	No. 361-Waverley
No. 258-Guelph	Guelph	No. 688-Wyndham
No. 271-Wellington	Erin	No. 724-Trillium
No. 295-Conestogo	Drayton	No. 742-Royal City Daylight

Lodges - 10

	WESTERN DISTRICT	Membership Dec 2006 - 674
D.D.G.M. - R.W. Bro. Terry A. Dunbar, Kenora		
No. 414-Pequonka	Kenora	No. 484-Golden Star
No. 417-Keewatin	Keewatin	No. 518-Sioux Lookout
No. 445-Lake of the Woods	Kenora	No. 631-Manitou
No. 446-Granite	Fort Francis	No. 660-Chukuni
No. 461-Ionic	Rainy River	No. 668-Atikokan

Lodges - 11

	WILSON NORTH DISTRICT	Membership Dec 2006 - 901
D.D.G.M. - R.W. Bro. Bev C. Burrill, Woodstock		
No. 37-King Hiram	Ingersoll	No. 250-Thistle
No. 43-King Solomon's	Woodstock	No. 261-Oak Branch
No. 68-St. John's	Ingersoll	No. 569-Doric Corinthian
No. 76-Oxford	Woodstock	No. 609-Tavistock
No. 108-Blenheim	Innerkip	No. 678-Mercer Wilson
No. 178-Plattsburgh	Washington	Woodstock

Lodges - 10

	WILSON SOUTH DISTRICT	Membership Dec 2006 - 779
D.D.G.M. - R.W. Bro. Neil A. Dolson, Norwich		
No. 10-Norfolk	Simcoe	No. 181-Oriental
No. 78-King Hiram	Tillsonburg	No. 217-Frederick
No. 104-St. John's	Norwich	No. 237-Vienna
No. 149-Erie	Port Dover	No. 624-Dereham
No. 174-Walsingham	Port Rowan	Mount Elgin

Lodges - 9

	WINDSOR DISTRICT	Membership Dec 2006 - 805
D.D.G.M. - R.W. Bro. Don Warner, Windsor		
No. 47-Great Western	Windsor	No. 579-Harmony
No. 403-Windsor	Windsor	No. 598-Dominion
No. 500-Rose	Windsor	No. 604-Palace
No. 521-Ontario	Windsor	No. 642-St. Andrew's
No. 554-Border Cities	Windsor	Windsor

RESEARCH LODGE - No. 730-Heritage . . . Cambridge Membership Dec 2006 - 723

RECAPITULATION (588 Lodges)

Algoma	10	Hamilton B	12	Peterborough	12	Toronto York	21
Algoma East	8	Hamilton C	14	Prince Edward	13	Victoria	14
Brant	13	London East	14	St Lawrence	17	Waterloo	15
Bruce	12	London West	13	St Thomas	10	Wellington	12
Chatham	11	Musk-Parry Sound	8	Sarnia	17	Western	10
Eastern	16	Niagara A	15	South Huron	13	Wilson North	11
Erie	9	Niagara B	10	Sud-Manitoulin	9	Wilson South	10
Frontenac	16	Nipissing East	7	Temiskaming	8	Windsor	9
Georgian North	12	North Huron	11	Toronto Don Valley	24	Research Lodge	1
Georgian South	10	Ontario	15	Toronto East	24		
Grey	12	Ottawa 1	15	Tor. Humber Valley	24		
Hamilton A	14	Ottawa 2	15	Toronto West	22		

LODGES – ALPHABETICALLY

Denotes Daylight Lodge

No and Name	District and Location	No and Name	District and Location
540 Abitibi	Temiskaming, Iroquois Falls	177 Builders (The)	Ottawa 2, Ottawa
61 Acacia	Hamilton B, Hamilton	106 Burford	Brant, Burford
430 Acacia	Toronto East, Toronto	165 Burlington	Hamilton A, Burlington
561 Acacia	Ottawa 1, Ottawa	436 Burns	Bruce, Hepworth
614 Adanac	Niagara A, St Catharines	153 Burns'	Sarnia, Wyoming
573 Adoniram	Niagara B, Niagara Falls	721 Bytown	Ottawa 2, Ottawa
109 Albion	Frontenac, Harrowsmith	637 Caledonia	Toronto East, Scarborough
235 Aldworth	Bruce, Chesley	249 Caledonian	Georgian North, Midland
158 Alexandra-Inwood	Sarnia, Oil Springs	232 Cameron	St Thomas, Dutton
439 Alexandria	Eastern, Alexandria	603 Campbell	Hamilton A, Campbellville
469 Algoma	Algoma East, S S Marie	532 Canada	Toronto East, Ajax
434 Algonquin	Musk-Parry So, Emsdale	491 Cardinal	Eastern, Iroquois
536 Algonquin	Sud-Manitoulin, Sudbury	465 Carleton	Ottawa 1, Carp
72 Alma	Waterloo, Cambridge	116 Cassia	Sarnia, Thedford
384 Alpha	Toronto East, Toronto	643 Cathedral	Toronto East, Toronto
32 Amity	Niagara A, Dunnville	270 Cedar	Ontario, Oshawa
654 Anc Landmarks (...Doric)	Ham C, Ham	396 Cedar	Bruce, Wiarton
3 Anc St John's	Frontenac, Kingston	679 Centennial Daylight	Ham C, Hamilton
733 Anniversary	Tor H Valley, Etobicoke	684 Centennial	London East, London
640 Anthony Sayer	Toronto West, Etobicoke	110 Central	St Lawrence, Prescott
571 Antiquity	Tor Humber Valley, Toronto	402 Central	Erie, Essex
440 Arcadia	Victoria, Minden	457 Century	Chatham, Merlin
307 Arkona	Sarnia, Arkona	264 Chaudiere	Ottawa 2, Ottawa
564 Ashlar	Ottawa 2, Ottawa	320 Chesterville	Eastern, Winchester
610 Ashlar	London West, London	738 Chinguacousy	Toronto West, Brampton
701 Ashlar	Wilson South, Tillsonburg	660 Chukuni	Western, Red Lake
247 Ashlar St. Clair	Tor H Valley, Toronto	148 Civil Service	Ottawa 1, Ottawa
668 Atikokan	Western, Atikokan	681 Claude M Kent	Hamilton A, Oakville
686 Atomic Daylight	Ottawa 2, Pembroke	313 Clementi	Peterborough, Peterb
704 Aurum	Temiskaming, Timmins	315 Clifford	Bruce, Clifford
452 Avonmore	Eastern, Monkland	254 Clinton	Niagara B, Niagara Falls
172 Ayr	Waterloo, Ayr	84 Clinton	South Huron, Cobourg
482 Bancroft	Prince Edward, Bancroft	459 Cobden	Ottawa 2, Cobden
6 Barton	Hamilton A, Hamilton	530 Cochrane	Temiskaming, Cochrane
714 Battlefield	Hamilton B, Stoney Cr	91 Colborne	Ontario, Colborne
639 Beach	Hamilton A, Stoney Creek	30 Composite	Ontario, Whitby
473 Beaches	Toronto East, Scarborough	667 Composite	Hamilton B, Hamilton
83 Beaver	Sarnia, Strathroy	722 Concord	Waterloo, Cambridge
234 Beaver	Georgian North, Thornbury	295 Conestogo	Wellington, Drayton
123 Belleville-Temple	Prince Ed, Belleville	501 Connaught	Toronto West, Etobicoke
190 Belmont	London East, Belmont	511 Connaught	Algoma, Thunder Bay
225 Bernard	North Huron, Listowel	50 Consecon	Prince Edward, Consecon
699 Bethel	Sud-Manitoulin, Sudbury	96 Corinthian	Georgian South, Barrie
612 Birch Cliff	Toronto East, Scarborough	101 Corinthian	Peterborough, Peterb
311 Blackwood	Toronto York, Maple	330 Corinthian	London West, London
314 Blair	North Huron, Palmerston	481 Corinthian	Toronto York, Newmarket
108 Blenheim	Wilson North, Inverkip	513 Corinthian	Hamilton C, Hamilton
303 Blyth	North Huron, Blyth	657 Corinthian	Temisk, Kirkland Lake
433 Bonnechere	Ottawa 2, Eganville	669 Corinthian	Eastern, Cornwall
554 Border Cities	Windsor, Windsor	125 Cornwall	Eastern, Cornwall
45 Brant	Brant, Brantford	454 Corona	Musk-Parry So, Burks Falls
663 Brant	Hamilton A, Burlington	520 Coronati	Toronto East, Scarborough
713 Bridgewood	Tor H Valley, Etobicoke	466 Coronation	Georgian North, Elmvale
170 Britannia	South Huron, Seaforth	502 Coronation	Niagara A, Smithville
354 Brock	Victoria, Cannington	574 Craig	South Huron, Ailsa Craig
745 Brock Daylight	Niag A, St Catharines	219 Credit	Wellington, Georgetown
723 Brotherhood	Waterloo, Waterloo	52 Dalhousie	Ottawa 2, Ottawa
269 Brougham Union	Toronto East, Claremont	706 David T. Campbell	Ontario, Whitby
341 Bruce	North Huron, Tiverton	590 Defenders	Ottawa 2, Ottawa
550 Buchanan	Hamilton C, Hamilton	358 Delaware Valley	London W, Lambeth

No and Name	District and Location	No and Name	District and Location
634 Delta	Toronto York, Aurora	352 Granite	Musk-Parry So, P. Sound
651 Dentonia	Toronto East, Toronto	446 Granite	Western, Fort Frances
624 Dereham	Wilson S, Mount Elgin	697 Grantham	Niagara A, St Catharines
598 Dominion	Windsor, Windsor	483 Granton	South Huron, Granton
615 Dominion	Niagara B, Fort Erie	47 Great Western	Windsor, Windsor
58 Doric	Ottawa I, Ottawa	629 Grenville	Toronto Don Valley, Thornhill
289 Doric	London West, Lobo	258 Guelph	Wellington, Guelph
316 Doric	Toronto Don Valley, Thornhill	327 Hammond	Chatham, Wardsville
424 Doric	Toronto East, Ajax	432 Hanover	Bruce, Hanover
455 Doric	Sud-Man, Little Current	581 Harcourt	Toronto Don Valley, Toronto
569 Doric Corinthian	Wilson North, Lakeside	477 Harding	Victoria, Woodville
623 Doric	Temiskaming, Kirkland Lake	57 Harmony	Hamilton B, Binbrook
291 Dufferin	Hamilton C, W. Flamboro	370 Harmony	St Lawrence, Philipsville
338 Dufferin	Niagara A, Wellandport	579 Harmony	Windsor, Windsor
364 Dufferin	St Thomas, Melbourne	216 Harris	Grey, Orangeville
570 Dufferin	Tor Don Valley, Thornhill	262 Harriston	Bruce, Harriston
449 Dundalk	Grey, Dundalk	696 H. L. Martyn	Tor Don Valley, Toronto
475 Dundum	Hamilton A, Hamilton	633 Hastings	Peterborough, Norwood
66 Durham	Ontario, Newcastle	625 Hatherly	Algoma East, S S Marie
306 Durham	Grey, Durham	238 Havelock	Sarnia, Watford
442 Dyment	Algoma East, Thessalon	435 Havelock	Peterborough, Havelock
538 Earl Kitchener	Georgian N, Midland	450 Hawkesbury	Eastern, Vankleek Hill
736 Edinburgh	Ottawa I, Ottawa	517 Hazeldean	Ottawa I, Kanata
495 Electric	Hamilton C, Hamilton	383 Henderson	Eastern, Winchester
507 Elk Lake	Nipissing East, Elk Lake	388 Henderson	London West, Lobo
698 Elliot Lake	Algoma East, Elliot Lake	730 Heritage	Research Lodge, Cambridge
456 Elma	South Huron, Monkton	336 Highgate	Chatham, Highgate
534 Englehart	Temiskaming, Englehart	531 High Park Melita	Tor Don Valley, Thornhill
185 Enniskillen	Hamilton B, York	594 Hillcrest	Hamilton B, Hamilton
659 Equity	Georgian North, Orillia	319 Hiram	Brant, Hagersville
149 Erie	Wilson South, Port Dover	490 Hiram	Grey, Markdale
527 Espanola	Sud-Manitoulin, Espanola	114 Hope	Ontario, Port Hope
283 Eureka	Prince Edward, Belleville	636 Hornepayne	Algoma, Hornepayne
209 Evergreen	St Lawrence, Lanark	391 Howard	Chatham, Ridgeway
592 Fairbank	Toronto Don Valley, Toronto	602 Hugh Murray	Hamilton C, Hamilton
77 Faithful Brethren	Victoria, Lindsay	568 Hullett	North Huron, Londesboro
428 Fidelity	Ontario, Port Perry	305 Humber	Tor Humber Valley, Weston
650 Fidelity	St Lawrence, Toledo	224 Huron	South Huron, Hensall
557 Finch	Eastern, Ingleside	392 Huron	Sarnia, Camlachie
689 Flower City	Toronto West, Brampton	611 Huron-Bruce	Tor Don Valley, Toronto
331 Fordwich	North Huron, Fordwich	740 Ibrox	Toronto West, Brampton
162 Forest	North Huron, Wroxeter	543 Imperial East Gate	Tor East, Scarborough
393 Forest	Bruce, Chesley	737 Innisfil	Georgian South, Stroud
415 Fort William	Algoma, Thunder Bay	25 Ionic	Toronto Don Valley, Toronto
127 Franck	Prince Edward, Frankford	229 Ionic	Toronto West, Brampton
217 Frederick	Wilson South, Delhi	328 Ionic	Sarnia, Napier
143 Friendly Brothers'	Eastern, Iroquois	461 Ionic	Western, Rainy River
691 Friendship	Sud-Manitoulin, Sudbury	526 Ionic	Ottawa 2, Ottawa
729 Friendship	Toronto East, Ajax	549 Ionic	Hamilton C, Hamilton
621 Frontenac	Frontenac, Sharbot Lake	716 Ionic	London East, London
257 Galt	Waterloo, Cambridge	203 Irvine	Wellington, Fergus
548 General Mercer	Toronto West, Toronto	115 Ivy	Niagara A, Beamsville
348 Georgian	Georgian North, Midland	31 Jerusalem	Ontario, Bowmanville
343 Georgina	Tor Humber Valley, Toronto	685 Joseph A. Hearn	Tor West, Mississauga
628 Glenrose	Waterloo, Elmira	145 J B Hall	Peterborough, Millbrook
528 Golden Beaver	Temiskaming, Timmins	584 Kaminiatiquia	Algoma, Thunder Bay
126 Golden Rule	Peterb, Campbellford	492 Karnak	Georgian North, Orillia
409 Golden Rule	Musk-P So, Gravenhurst	374 Keene	Peterborough, Keene
484 Golden Star	Western, Dryden	417 Keeewatin	Western, Keeewatin
159 Goodwood	Ottawa I, Richmond	673 Kempenfeldt	Georgian South, Barrie
472 Gore Bay	Sud-Manitoulin, Gore Bay	656 Kenogamisis	Algoma, Geraldton
608 Gothic	Victoria, Lindsay	274 Kent	Chatham, Blenheim
151 Grand River	Waterloo, Waterloo	230 Kerr	Georgian South, Barrie

No and Name	District and Location	No and Name	District and Location
412 Keystone	Algoma East, S S Marie	678 Mercer Wilson	Wilson N, Woodstock
64 Kilwinning	London East, London	687 Meridian	Hamilton C, Ancaster
565 Kilwinning	Toronto West, Toronto	55 Merrickville	St Law, Burrill's Rapids
464 King Edward	Victoria, Sunderland	344 Merrill	London East, Nilesstown
488 King Edward	Erie, Harrow	168 Merritt	Niagara B, Welland
471 King Edward VII	Niag B, Niag Falls	542 Metropolitan	Toronto Don Valley, Toronto
498 King George V	Victoria, Cobonk	379 Middlesex	London East, Thorndale
37 King Hiram	Wilson N, Ingersoll	369 Mimico	Tor Humber Valley, Etobicoke
78 King Hiram	Wilson S, Tillsonburg	576 Mimosa	Toronto East, Toronto
566 King Hiram	Toronto West, Toronto	253 Minden	Frontenac, Kingston
329 King Solomon	Brant, Jarvis	304 Minerva	Georgian South, Stroud
394 King Solomon	London E, Thanesford	524 Mississauga	Toronto West, Mississauga
22 King Solomon's Tor York, Richmond Hill		147 Mississippi	Ottawa I, Almonte
43 King Solomon's	Wilson N, Woodstock	399 Moffat	London East, London
378 King Solomon's	London W, London	11 Moira	Prince Edward, Belleville
655 Kingsway	Tor H Valley, Etobicoke	294 Moore	Sarnia, Sarnia
676 Kroy	Toronto Don Valley, Thornhill	431 Moravian	Bruce, Cargill
215 Lake	Prince Edward, Ameliasburg	309 Morning Star	South Huron, Carlow
445 Lake of the Woods	Western, Kenora	559 Mosaic	Toronto Don Valley, Toronto
645 Lake Shore	Toronto West, Etobicoke	221 Mountain	Niagara A, St Catharines
207 Lancaster	Eastern, Lancaster	599 Astra-Mt Dennis	Tor H Valley, Weston
387 Lansdowne	St Lawrence, Lansdowne	727 Mt Moriah (The)	Toronto West, Brampton
290 Leamington	Erie, Leamington	300 Mt Olivet	London East, Thorndale
139 Lebanon	Ontario, Oshawa	522 Mt Sinai	Toronto Don Valley, Thornhill
133 Lebanon Forest	South Huron, Exeter	28 Mt Zion	St Lawrence, Kemptville
201 Leeds	Frontenac, Gananoque	39 Mt Zion	Ontario, Brooklin
397 Leopold	Sarnia, Brigid	408 Murray	Victoria, Beaverton
419 Liberty	Sarnia, Sarnia	360 Muskoka	Musk-P So, Bracebridge
739 Limestone Daylight Fron, Harrowsmith		529 Myra	London West, London
544 Lincoln	Hamilton B, Abingdon	337 Myrtle	Niagara B, Port Robinson
702 Lodge of Fellowship Tor York, Rich Hill		279 Mystic Tie	Waterloo, Cambridge
231 Lodge of Fidelity	Ottawa I, Ottawa	413 Naphtali	Erie, Tilbury
703 Lodge of the Pillars	Tor D Val, Thornhill	556 Nation	St Lawrence, Spencerville
735 London Daylight	London E, London	588 National	Sud-Manitoulin, Capreol
632 Long Branch	Toronto West, Etobicoke	205 New Dominion	Waterloo, Elmira
282 Lorne	Chatham, Glencoe	744 New Light	Waterloo, Waterloo
375 Lorne	Victoria, Omemee	2 Niagara	Niag A, Niag-on-Lake
377 Lorne	Grey, Shelburne	427 Nickel	Sud-Manitoulin, Sudbury
622 Lorne	Algoma East, Chapleau	345 Nilesstown	London East, Nilesstown
256 Lost Villages	Eastern, Ingleside	420 Nipissing	Nipissing East, North Bay
741 Luxor Daylight	Ottawa 2, Ottawa	444 Nitetus	Georgian South, Creemore
416 Lyn	St Lawrence, Lyn	10 Norfolk	Wilson South, Simcoe
505 Lynden	Brant, Lynden	617 North Bay	Nipissing East, North Bay
169 Macnab	Niagara B, Pt Colborne	463 North Entrance	Victoria, Haliburton
242 Macoy	St Lawrence, Mallortown	591 North Gate	Toronto East, Ajax
196 Madawaska	Ottawa 2, Arnprior	322 North Star	Grey, Owen Sound
48 Madoc/Marmor/Tweed	Pr Ed, Madoc	93 Northern Light	N Huron, Kincardine
33 Maitland	South Huron, Goderich	266 Northern Light	Georgian N, Stayner
140 Malahide	St Thomas, Aylmer	223 Norwood	Peterborough, Norwood
512 Malone	Toronto York, Sutton	261 Oak Branch	Wilson N, Innerkip
90 Manito	Georgian N, Collingwood	708 Oakridge	London West, London
236 Manitoba	Georgian S, Cookstown	400 Oakville	Hamilton A, Oakville
631 Manitou	Western, Emo	184 Old Light	North Huron, Lucknow
54 Maple	Toronto York, Maple	519 Onondaga	Brant, Onondaga
103 Maple Leaf	Niag A, St Catharines	26 Ontario	Ontario, Port Hope
119 Maple Leaf	Frontenac, Bath	521 Ontario	Windsor, Windsor
362 Maple Leaf	Bruce, Tara	339 Orient	Tor Humber Valley, Toronto
600 Maple Leaf	Tor H Valley, Etobicoke	181 Oriental	Wilson South, Vienna
87 Markham Union	Tor. York, Stouffville	192 Orillia	Georgian North, Orillia
596 Martintown	Eastern, Lancaster	325 Oroño	Ontario, Oroño
405 Mattawa	Nipissing East, North Bay	504 Otter	St Lawrence, Lombardy
418 Maxville	Eastern, Maxville	76 Oxford	Wilson North, Woodstock
347 Mercer	Wellington, Fergus	508 Ozias	Brant, Burford

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604 Palace	Windsor, Windsor	661 St Andrew's	Niag A, St Catharines
372 Palmer	Niagara B, Fort Erie	135 St Clair	Hamilton A, Milton
695 Parkwood	Ontario, Oshawa	425 St Clair	Sarnia, Sombra
267 Parthenon	Chatham, Chatham	302 St David's	St Thomas, St Thomas
395 Parvaim	Erie, Leamington	24 St Francis	St Lawrence, Smiths Falls
265 Patterson Grey	Tor Don Valley, Thornhill	243 St George	Brant, St George
468 Peel	Toronto York, Caledon East	367 St George	Toronto Don Valley, Toronto
627 Pelee	Erie, Pelee Island	15 St George's	Niag A, St Catharines
128 Pembroke	Ottawa 2, Pembroke	41 St George's	Erie, Kingsville
487 Penewobikong	Algoma E, Blind River	42 St George's	London West, London
414 Pequonga	Western, Kenora	88 St George's	Grey, Owen Sound
161 Percy	Peterborough, Warkworth	73 St James	South Huron, St Marys
510 Perfect Column	Tor H. Valley, Etobicoke	74 St James	St Lawrence, Brockville
616 Perfection	Niag A, St Catharines	17 St John's	Ontario, Cobourg
155 Peterborough	Peterborough, Peterb	20 St John's	London East, London
194 Petrolia-Washington	Sarnia, Petrolia	21a St John's	Eastern, Vankleek Hill
535 Phoenix	Niagara B, Fonthill	35 St John's	Brant, Cayuga
186 Plantagenet	Eastern, Riceville	40 St John's	Hamilton A, Hamilton
178 Plattsburg	Wilson N, Washington	63 St John's	Ottawa 1, Carleton Place
312 Pnyx Baldoon	Chatham, Wallaceburg	68 St John's	Wilson North, Ingersoll
506 Porcupine	Temiskaming, Timmins	75 St Johns	Toronto East, Scarborough
499 Port Arthur	Algoma, Thunder Bay	81 St John's	London West, Mt Brydges
429 Port Elgin	Bruce, Port Elgin	82 St John's	Brant, St George
443 Powassan	Musk-Parry So, Powassan	104 St John's	Wilson South, Norwich
297 Preston	Waterloo, Cambridge	209a St John's	London West, London
228 Prince Arthur	Frontenac, Bath	284 St John's	North Huron, Brussels
333 Prince Arthur	Grey, Flesherton	131 St Lawrence	Bruce, Port Elgin
334 Prince Arthur	Grey, Arthur	94 St Mark's	St Thomas, Port Stanley
18 Prince Edward	Prince Ed, Picton	105 St Mark's	Niag B, Niagara Falls
146 Prince of Wales	Frontenac, Napanee	601 St Paul	Sarnia, Sarnia
171 Prince of Wales	St Thomas, Iona Sta	107 St Paul's	London West, Lambeth
371 Prince of Wales	Ottawa 1, Ottawa	44 St Thomas	St Thomas, St Thomas
630 Prince of Wales	Toronto West, Toronto	368 Salem	St Lawrence, Brockville
137 Pythagoras	Grey, Meaford	197 Saugeen	Bruce, Walkerton
578 Queen's	Frontenac, Kingston	653 Scarboro	Toronto East, Scarborough
620 Quinte St Alban's	Tor Don Valley, Thornhill	193 Scotland	Brant, Oakland
515 Reba	Brant, Brantford	421 Scott	Grey, Grand Valley
65 Rehoboam	Tor Humber Valley, Etobicoke	285 Seven Star	Georgian South, Alliston
586 Remembrance	Tor Don Valley, Thornhill	272 Seymour	Hamilton C, Ancaster
122 Renfrew	Ottawa 2, Renfrew	277 Seymour	Niagara A, St Catharines
136 Richardson	Toronto York, Stouffville	97 Sharon	Toronto York, Queensville
23 Richmond	Toronto York, Richmond Hill	287 Shuniah	Algoma, Thunder Bay
460 Rideau	Frontenac, Seeleys Bay	558 S A Luke	Ottawa 1, Ottawa
85 Rising Sun	St Lawrence, Athens	486 Silver	Nipissing East, Haileybury
129 Rising Sun	Toronto York, Aurora	79 Simcoe	Toronto York, Bradford
356 River Park	Toronto West, Streetsville	644 Simcoe	Tor Humber Valley, Toronto
494 Riverdale J.R. Robertson	Tor East, Toronto	157 Simpson	Frontenac, Newboro
292 Robertson	Toronto York, Aurora	518 Sioux Lookout	Western, Sioux Lookout
500 Rose	Windsor, Windsor	451 Somerville	Victoria, Kinnmount
646 Rowland	Toronto York, Mt Albert	674 South Gate	Toronto West, Mississauga
523 Royal Arthur	Peterborough, Peterb	180 Speed	Wellington, Guelph
742 Royal City Daylight	Wellington, Guelph	385 Spry	Georgian South, Beeton
585 Royal Ed. of Cataraqui	Frontenac, Kingston	406 Spry	Victoria, Fenelon Falls
619 Runnymede	Toronto West, Toronto	164 Star-in-the-East	Pr Edward, Wellington
479 Russell	Ottawa 1, Russell	422 Star of the East	Chatham, Bothwell
567 St Aidan's	Toronto East, Scarborough	69 Stirling	Prince Edward, Stirling
200 St Alban's	Grey, Mount Forest	332 Stratford	South Huron, Stratford
16 St Andrew's	Toronto Don Valley, Toronto	27 Strict Observance	Ham B, Stoney Cr
62 St Andrew's	Hamilton B, Caledonia	423 Strong	Musk-Parry So, Sundridge
497 St Andrew's	Frontenac, Tamworth	447 Sturgeon Falls	Nip E, Sturgeon Falls
560 St Andrew's	Ottawa 1, Ottawa	658 Sudbury	Sud-Manitoulin, Sudbury
593 St Andrew's	Hamilton B, Hamilton	664 Sunnylea	Tor Humber Valley, Etobicoke
642 St Andrew's	Windsor, Windsor	672 Superior	Algoma, Red Rock

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5 Sussex	St Lawrence, Brockville	705 Universe	Toronto East, Scarborough
546 Talbot	St Thomas, St Thomas	496 University	Toronto West, Toronto
609 Tavistock	Wilson North, Tavistock	100 Valley	Hamilton C, Dundas
144 Tecumseh	South Huron, Stratford	268 Verulam	Victoria, Bobcaygeon
245 Tecumseh Sydenham	Chat, Thamesville	56 Victoria	Sarnia, Sarnia
462 Temiskaming	Nip E, Haileybury	299 Victoria	Frontenac, Centreville
296 Temple	Niagara A, St Catharines	398 Victoria	Victoria, Kirkfield
324 Temple	Hamilton C, Hamilton	470 Victoria	Georgian N, Vict Harbour
597 Temple	London East, London	474 Victoria	Toronto West, Toronto
649 Temple	Ontario, Oshawa	547 Victory	Tor Humber Valley, Toronto
665 Temple	Ottawa 1, Ottawa	237 Vienna	Wilson South, Vienna
690 Temple	Waterloo, Waterloo	321 Walker-Friendship .	Wellington, Georgetown
662 Terrace Bay	Algoma, Terrace Bay	174 Walsingham	Wilson S, Port Rowan
34 Thistle	Erie, Amherstburg	555 Wardrobe	Hamilton C, Hamilton
250 Thistle	Wilson North, Ingerkip	120 Warren	St Thomas, Fingal
618 Thunder Bay	Algoma, Thunder Bay	357 Waterdown	Hamilton A, Millgrove
647 Todmorden	Toronto East, Toronto	539 Waterloo	Waterloo, Waterloo
467 Tottenham	Georgian S, Tottenham	361 Waverley	Wellington, Guelph
712 Trafalgar	Hamilton A, Oakville	46 Wellington-Victory	Chatham, Chatham
38 Trent	Prince Edward, Trenton	271 Wellington	Wellington, Erin
575 Trillium	Tor Humber Valley, Toronto	635 Wellington	Toronto York, Maple
724 Trillium	Wellington, Guelph	725 Wellington Square	Ham A, Burlington
98 True Blue	Toronto York, Bolton	166 Wentworth	Hamilton B, Stoney Cr
14 True Britons'	St Lawrence, Perth	386 West Elgin	St Thomas, West Lorne
141 Tudor	South Huron, Mitchell	734 West Gate	Toronto West, Streetsville
99 Tuscan	Toronto York, Newmarket	670 West Hill	Toronto East, Scarborough
195 Tuscan	London West, London	671 Westmount	Hamilton C, Hamilton
437 Tuscan	Sarnia, Sarnia	683 Wexford	Toronto East, Scarborough
541 Tuscan	Toronto East, Toronto	675 Wm Jas Dunlop	Peterborough, Peterb
551 Tuscan	Hamilton A, Hamilton	318 Wilmot	Waterloo, Elmira
509 Twin City	Waterloo, Waterloo	113 Wilson	Brant, Waterford
718 Twin Lakes	Georgian North, Orillia	403 Windsor	Windsor, Windsor
537 Ulster	Tor Humber Valley, Toronto	286 Wingham	North Huron, Wingham
7 Union	Hamilton B, Grimsby	680 Woodland	Algoma East, Wawa
9 Union	Frontenac, Napanee	688 Wyndham	Wellington, Guelph
118 Union	Toronto York, Schomberg	448 Xenophon	Erie, Wheatley
380 Union	London East, London	156 York	Tor Don Valley, Toronto
29 United	Prince Edward, Brighton	220 Zeredatha	Toronto York, Uxbridge
376 Unity	Musk-Parry So, Huntsville	410 Zeta-Shamrock ...	Tor Humber Valley, Tor
606 Unity	Tor Humber Valley, Etobicoke	86 Zetland Wilson	Tor Humber Valley, Toronto
710 Unity	Toronto West, Brampton		

LODGES BY LOCATION

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Location	Name and No	Location	Name and No
Abingdon	Lincoln 544	Ancaster	Seymour 272
Ailsa Craig	Craig 574	Arkona	Arkona 307
Ajax	Canada 532	Arnprior	Madawaska 196
Ajax	Doric 424	Arthur	Prince Arthur 334
Ajax	Friendship 729	Athens	Rising Sun 85
Ajax	North Gate 591	Atikokan	Atikokan 668
Alexandria	Alexandria 439	Aurora	Delta 634
Alliston	Seven Star 285	Aurora	Rising Sun 129
Almonte	Mississippi 147	Aurora	Robertson 292
Ameliasburg	Lake 215	Aylmer	Malahide 140
Amherstburg	Thistle 34	Ayr	Ayr 172
Ancaster	Meridian 687	Baden	Wilmot 318

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Bancroft	Bancroft 482	Cayuga	St John's 35
Barrie	Corinthian 96	Centreville	Victoria 299
Barrie	Kempenfeldt 673	Chapleau	Lorne 622
Barrie	Kerr 230	Chatham	Parthenon 267
Bath	Maple Leaf 119	Chatham	Wellington-Victory 46
Bath	Prince Arthur 228	Chesley	Aldworth 235
Beachburg	Enterprise 516	Chesley	Forest 393
Beamsville	Ivy 115	Claremont	Brougham Union 269
Beaverton	Murray 408	Clifford	Clifford 315
Beeton	Spry 385	Cobden	Cobden 459
Belleville	Belleville-Temple 123	Coboconk	King George V 498
Belleville	Eureka 283	Cobourg	Clinton 84
Belleville	Moira 11	Cobourg	St John's 17
Belmont	Belmont 190	Cochrane	Cochrane 530
Binbrook	Harmony 57	Colborne	Colborne 91
Blenheim	Kent 274	Collingwood	Manito 90
Blind River	Penewobikong 487	Consecon	Consecon 50
Blyth	Blyth 303	Cookstown	Manitoba 236
Bobcaygeon	Verulam 268	Cornwall	Corinthian 669
Bolton	True Blue 98	Cornwall	Cornwall 125
Bothwell	Star of the East 422	Creemore	Nitetus 444
Bowmanville	Jerusalem 31	Delhi	Frederick 217
Bracebridge	Muskoka 360	Drayton	Conestogo 295
Bradford	Simcoe 79	Dryden	Golden Star 484
Brampton	Chinguacousy 738	Dundalk	Dundalk 449
Brampton	Flower City 689	Dundas	Valley 100
Brampton	Ibrox 740	Dunville	Amity 32
Brampton	Ionic 229	Durham	Durham 306
Brampton	(The) Mount Moriah 727	Dutton	Cameron 232
Brampton	Unity 710	Eganville	Bonnechere 433
Brantford	Brant 45	Elt Lake	Elk Lake 507
Brantford	Reba 515	Elliot Lake	Elliot Lake 698
Brigden	Leopold 397	Elmira	Glenrose 628
Brighton	United 29	Elmira	New Dominion 205
Brockville	St. James 74	Elmvale	Coronation 466
Brockville	Salem 368	Emo	Manitou 631
Brockville	Sussex 5	Emsdale	Algonquin 434
Brooklin	Mount Zion 39	Englehart	Englehart 534
Brussels	St John's 284	Erin	Wellington 271
Burford	Burford 106	Espanola	Espanola 527
Burford	Ozias 508	Essex	Central 402
Burks Falls	Corona 454	Etobicoke	Anniversary 733
Burlington	Brant 663	Etobicoke	Anthony Sayer 640
Burlington	Burlington 165	Etobicoke	Bridgewood 713
Burlington	Wellington Square 725	Etobicoke	Connaught 501
Burritt's Rapids	Merrickville 55	Etobicoke	Kingsway 655
Caledon East	Peel 468	Etobicoke	Lake Shore 645
Caledonia	St Andrew's 62	Etobicoke	Long Branch 632
Cambridge	Alma 72	Etobicoke	Maple Leaf 600
Cambridge	Concord 722	Etobicoke	Mimico 369
Cambridge	Galt 257	Etobicoke	Perfect Column 510
Cambridge	(The) Heritage 730	Etobicoke	Rehoboam 65
Cambridge	Mystic Tie 279	Etobicoke	Sunnylea 664
Cambridge	Preston 297	Etobicoke	Unity 606
Campbellford	Golden Rule 126	Exeter	Lebanon Forest 133
Campbellville	Campbell 603	Fenelon Falls	Spry 406
Camlachie	Huron 392	Fergus	Irvine 203
Cannington	Brock 354	Fergus	Mercer 347
Capreol	National 588	Fingal	Warren 120
Cargill	Moravian 431	Flesherton	Prince Arthur 333
Carleton Place	St John's 63	Fonthill	Phoenix 535
Carlow	Morning Star 309	Fordwich	Fordwich 331
Carp	Carleton 465	Fort Erie	Dominion 615

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Fort Erie	Palmer 372	Iroquois	Friendly Brothers' 143
Fort Frances	Granite 446	Iroquois Falls	Abitibi 540
Frankford	Franck 127	Jarvis	King Solomon 329
Gananoque	Leeds 201	Kanata	Hazeldean 517
Georgetown	Credit 219	Keene	Keene 374
Georgetown	Walker-Friendship 321	Keewatin	Keewatin 417
Geraldton	Kenogamisis 656	Kemptville	Mount Zion 28
Glencoe	Lorne 282	Kenora	Lake of the Woods 445
Goderich	Maitland 33	Kenora	Pequonga 414
Gore Bay	Gore Bay 472	Kincardine	Northern Light 93
Grand Valley	Scott 421	Kingston	Ancient St John's 3
Granton	Granton 483	Kingston	Royal Edward of Catarqui 92
Gravenhurst	Golden Rule 409	Kingston	Minden 253
Grimsby	Union 7	Kingston	Queen's 578
Guelph	Guelph 258	Kingsville	St George's 41
Guelph	Royal City Daylight 742	Kinmount	Somerville 451
Guelph	Speed 180	Kirkfield	Victoria 398
Guelph	Trillium 724	Kirkland Lake	Corinthian 657
Guelph	Waverley 361	Kirkland Lake	Doric 623
Guelph	Wyndham 688	Lakeside	Doric Corinthian 569
Hagersville	Hiram 319	Lambeth	Delaware Valley 358
Haileybury	Silver 486	Lambeth	St Paul's 107
Haileybury	Temiskaming 462	Lanark	Evergreen 209
Haliburton	North Entrance 463	Lancaster	Lancaster 207
Hamilton	Acacia 61	Lancaster	Martintown 596
Hamilton	Anc Landmarks (...Doric) 654	Lansdowne	Lansdowne 387
Hamilton	Barton 6	Leamington	Leamington 290
Hamilton	Buchanan 550	Leamington	Parvaim 395
Hamilton	Centennial Daylight 679	Lindsay	Faithful Brethren 77
Hamilton	Composite 667	Lindsay	Gothic 608
Hamilton	Corinthian 513	Listowel	Bernard 225
Hamilton	Dundurn 475	Little Current	Doric 455
Hamilton	Electric 495	Lobo	Doric 289
Hamilton	Hillcrest 594	Lobo	Henderson 388
Hamilton	Hugh Murray 602	Lombardy	Otter 504
Hamilton	Ionic 549	Londesboro	Hullett 568
Hamilton	St Andrew's 593	London	Ashlar 610
Hamilton	St John's 40	London	Centennial 684
Hamilton	Temple 324	London	Corinthian 330
Hamilton	Tuscan 551	London	Ionic 716
Hamilton	Wardrobe 555	London	Kilwinning 64
Hamilton	Westmount 671	London	King Solomon's 378
Hamilton	Wentworth 166	London	London Daylight 735
Hanover	Hanover 432	London	Moffat 399
Harriston	Harriston 262	London	Myra 529
Harrow	King Edward 488	London	Oakridge 708
Harrowsmith	Albion 109	London	St George's 42
Harrowsmith	Limestone Daylight 739	London	St John's 20
Havelock	Havelock 435	London	St John's 209a
Hensall	Huron 224	London	Temple 597
Hepworth	Burns 436	London	Tuscan 195
Highgate	Highgate 336	London	Union 380
Hornepayne	Hornepayne 636	Lucknow	Old Light 184
Huntsville	Unity 376	Lyn	Lyn 416
Ingersoll	King Hiram 37	Lyn	Macoy 242
Ingersoll	St John's 68	Lynden	Lynden 505
Ingleside	Lost Villages 256	Madoc	Madoc/Marmora/Tweed 48
Ingleside	Finch 557	Maple	Blackwood 311
Innerkip	Blenheim 108	Maple	Maple 54
Innerkip	Oak Branch 261	Maple	Wellington 635
Innerkip	Thistle 250	Markdale	Hiram 490
Iona Station	Prince of Wales 171	Maxville	Maxville 418
Iroquois	Cardinal 491	Meaford	Pythagoras 137

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Melbourne	Dufferin 364	Ottawa	Defenders 590
Merlin	Century 457	Ottawa	Doric 58
Midland	Caledonian 249	Ottawa	Edinburgh 736
Midland	Earl Kitchener 538	Ottawa	Ionic 526
Midland	Georgian 348	Ottawa	Lodge of Fidelity 231
Millbrook	J B Hall 145	Ottawa	Luxor Daylight 741
Millgrove	Waterdown 357	Ottawa	Prince of Wales 371
Milton	St Clair 135	Ottawa	St Andrew's 560
Minden	Arcadia 440	Ottawa	Sidney Albert Luke 558
Mississauga	Joseph A Hearn 685	Ottawa	Temple 665
Mississauga	Mississauga 524	Owen Sound	North Star 322
Mississauga	South Gate 674	Owen Sound	St George's 88
Mitchell	Tudor 141	Palmerston	Blair 314
Monkland	Avonmore 452	Parry Sound	Granite 352
Monkton	Elma 456	Pele Island	Pele 627
Mount Albert	Rowland 646	Pembroke	Atomic Daylight 686
Mount Brydges	St John's 81	Pembroke	Pembroke 128
Mount Elgin	Dereham 624	Perth	True Britons' 14
Mount Forest	St Alban's 200	Peterborough	Clementi 313
Napanee	Prince of Wales 146	Peterborough	Corinthian 101
Napanee	Union 9	Peterborough	Peterborough 155
Napier	Ionic 328	Peterborough	Royal Arthur 523
Newboro	Simpson 157	Peterborough	William James Dunlop 675
Newcastle	Durham 66	Petrolia	Petrolia-Washington 194
Newmarket	Corinthian 481	Philipsville	Harmony 370
Newmarket	Tuscan 99	Picton	Prince Edward 18
Niagara-on-the-Lake	Niagara 2	Port Colborne	Macnab 169
Niagara Falls	Adoniram 573	Port Dover	Erie 149
Niagara Falls	Clifton 254	Port Elgin	Port Elgin 429
Niagara Falls	King Edward VII 471	Port Elgin	St Lawrence 131
Niagara Falls	St Mark's 105	Port Hope	Hope 114
Nilestown	Merrill 344	Port Hope	Ontario 26
Nilestown	Nilestown 345	Port Perry	Fidelity 428
North Bay	Mattawa 405	Port Robinson	Myrtle 337
North Bay	Nipissing 420	Port Rowan	Walsingham 174
North Bay	North Bay 617	Port Stanley	St Mark's 94
Norwich	St John's 104	Powassan	Powassan 443
Norwood	Hastings 633	Prescott	Central 110
Norwood	Norwood 223	Queensville	Harmony 438
Oakland	Scotland 193	Queensville	Sharon 97
Oakville	Claude M Kent 681	Rainy River	Ionic 461
Oakville	Oakville 400	Red Lake	Chukuni 660
Oakville	Trafalgar 712	Red Rock	Superior 672
Oil Springs	Alexandra-Inwood 158	Renfrew	Renfrew 122
Omemeem	Lorne 375	Riceville	Plantagenet 186
Onondaga	Onondaga 519	Richmond	Goodwood 159
Orangeville	Harris 216	Richmond Hill	King Solomon's 22
Orillia	Equity 659	Richmond Hill	Lodge of Fellowship 702
Orillia	Karnak 492	Richmond Hill	Richmond 23
Orillia	Orillia 192	Ridgetown	Howard 391
Orillia	Twin Lakes 718	Russell	Russell 479
Orono	Orono 325	St Catharines	Adanac 614
Oshawa	Cedar 270	St Catharines	Brock Daylight 745
Oshawa	Lebanon 139	St Catharines	Grantham 697
Oshawa	Parkwood 695	St Catharines	Maple Leaf 103
Oshawa	Temple 649	St Catharines	Mountain 221
Ottawa	Acacia 561	St Catharines	Perfection 616
Ottawa	Ashlar 564	St Catharines	St Andrew's 661
Ottawa	(The) Builders 177	St Catharines	St George's 15
Ottawa	Bytown 721	St Catharines	Seymour 277
Ottawa	Chaudiere 264	St Catharines	Temple 296
Ottawa	Civil Service 148	St George	St George 243
Ottawa	Dalhousie 52	St George	St John's 82

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St Marys	St James 73	Thedford	Cassia 116
St Thomas	St David's 302	Thessalon	Dyment 442
St Thomas	St Thomas 44	Thornbury	Beaver 234
St Thomas	Talbot 546	Thorndale	Middlesex 379
Sarnia	Liberty 419	Thorndale	Mount Olivet 300
Sarnia	Moore 294	Thornhill	Doric 316
Sarnia	St Paul 601	Thornhill	Dufferin 570
Sarnia	Tuscan 437	Thornhill	Grenville 629
Sarnia	Victoria 56	Thornhill	High Park Melita 531
Sault Ste Marie	Algoma 469	Thornhill	Kroy 676
Sault Ste Marie	Hatherly 625	Thornhill	Lodge of the Pillars 703
Sault Ste Marie	Keystone 412	Thornhill	Mount Sinai 522
Scarborough	Beaches 473	Thornhill	Patterson Grey 265
Scarborough	Birch Cliff 612	Thornhill	Quinte St Alban's 620
Scarborough	Caledonia 637	Thornhill	Remembrance 586
Scarborough	Coronati 520	Thunder Bay	Connaught 511
Scarborough	Imperial East Gate 543	Thunder Bay	Fort William 415
Scarborough	St Aidan's 567	Thunder Bay	Kaministiquia 584
Scarborough	St Johns 75	Thunder Bay	Port Arthur 499
Scarborough	Scarboro 653	Thunder Bay	Shuniah 287
Scarborough	Universe 705	Thunder Bay	Thunder Bay 618
Scarborough	West Hill 670	Tilbury	Naphthali 413
Scarborough	Wexford 683	Tillsonburg	Ashlar 701
Schomberg	Union 118	Tillsonburg	King Hiram 78
Seaforth	Britannia 170	Timmins	Aurum 704
Seeleys Bay	Rideau 460	Timmins	Golden Beaver 528
Sharbot Lake	Frontenac 621	Timmins	Porcupine 506
Shelburne	Lorne 377	Tiverton	Bruce 341
Simcoe	Norfolk 10	Toledo	Fidelity 650
Sioux Lookout	Sioux Lookout 518	Toronto	Acacia 430
Smiths Falls	St Francis 24	Toronto	Alpha 384
Smithville	Coronation 502	Toronto	Antiquity 571
Sombra	St Clair 425	Toronto	Ashlar St. Clair 247
Spencerville	Nation 556	Toronto	Cathedral 643
Stayner	Northern Light 266	Toronto	Dentonia 651
Stirling	Stirling 69	Toronto	Fairbank 592
Stoney Creek	Battlefield 714	Toronto	General Mercer 548
Stoney Creek	Beach 639	Toronto	Georgina 343
Stoney Creek	Strict Observance 27	Toronto	Harcourt 581
Stouffville	Markham Union 87	Toronto	Harry L Martyn 696
Stouffville	Richardson 136	Toronto	Huron-Bruce 611
Stratford	Stratford 332	Toronto	Ionic 25
Stratford	Tecumseh 144	Toronto	Kilwinning 565
Stratroy	Beaver 83	Toronto	King Hiram 566
Streetsville	River Park 356	Toronto	Metropolitan 542
Streetsville	West Gate 734	Toronto	Mimosa 576
Stroud	Innisfil 737	Toronto	Mosaic 559
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OFFICERS OF GRAND LODGE SINCE 1855

Date of Election	Grand Master	Deputy Grand Master	Grand Senior Warden	Grand Junior Warden	Grand Treasurer	Grand Secretary	Grand Chaplain	Grand Registrar	Date of Effectuation
1855 W. M. Wilson	A. Bernard	R. Bull	J. Daniell	W. Bellhouse	T. B. Harris	F. J. Lundy	T. B. Harris	T. B. Harris	1855
1856 W. M. Wilson	A. Bernard	J. J. Isaacson	C. Magill	W. Bellhouse	J. Osborne	St. Geo. Caulfield	J. Osborne	J. Osborne	1856
1857 W. M. Wilson	J. Scott	J. E. Smith	S. Ross	W. Bellhouse	T. B. Harris	J. Tremayne	T. B. Harris	W. H. Miller	1857
1858 W. M. Wilson	T. G. Ridout	P. D. Brown	J. K. Brown	W. Bellhouse	T. B. Harris	F. J. Lundy	R. Richardson	R. Richardson	1858
1859 W. M. Wilson	T. D. Hartington	F. W. Barron	A. A. Stevenson	T. B. Harris	T. B. Harris	J. Scott	S. B. Hartman	E. Heathfield	1859
1860 T. D. Hartington	W. B. Simpson	D. Gale	D. Warren	T. B. Harris	T. B. Harris	J. A. Preston	J. A. Preston	D. Curtis Jr.	1860
1861 T. D. Hartington	W. B. Simpson	E. Heathfield	W. A. Osgood	T. B. Harris	V. Clementi	V. Clementi	J. V. Noel	J. V. Noel	1861
1862 T. D. Hartington	W. B. Simpson	E. Spencer	I. Seymour	T. B. Harris	V. Clementi	J. H. Graham	J. H. Graham	E. H. McKeellar	1862
1863 T. D. Hartington	W. B. Simpson	E. Macpherson	B. C. Davy	T. B. Harris	V. Clementi	C. D. Macdonell	R. Irwin	J. H. Hetherington	1863
1864 W. B. Simpson	A. A. Stevenson	J. Sisson	J. Renshaw	T. B. Harris	V. Clementi	F. C. Draper	F. C. Draper	W. T. Wikins	1864
1865 W. B. Simpson	A. A. Stevenson	A. S. Kirkpatrick	M. Cronbie	T. B. Harris	V. Clementi	A. Murray	A. Murray	J. A. Bogart	1865
1866 W. M. Wilson	A. A. Stevenson	J. Kerr	I. Stearns	T. B. Harris	V. Clementi	G. M. Innes	G. M. Innes	H. Murray	1866
1867 W. M. Wilson	A. A. Stevenson	I. H. Stearns	J. Turquand	T. B. Harris	V. Clementi	J. G. Burns	J. G. Burns	J. A. Bishop	1867
1868 A. M. Wilson	J. Seymour	J. Seymour	S. Baker	T. B. Harris	V. Clementi	D. Spy	D. Spy	J. S. Mathews	1868
1869 A. A. Stevenson	J. Seymour	P. J. Brown	D. Thomas	T. B. Harris	V. Clementi	S. B. Fairbanks	S. B. Fairbanks	J. A. Campbell	1869
1870 A. A. Stevenson	J. Seymour	T. White Jr	H. Robertson	T. B. Harris	V. Clementi	D. McLellan	D. McLellan	J. C. Boal	1870
1871 J. Seymour	T. White Jr	A. McLean	R. F. Stephens	T. B. Harris	C. Forest	J. B. Bickell	J. B. Bickell	J. J. Condon	1871
1872 W. M. Wilson	T. White Jr	J. Bain	H. Merrill	T. B. Harris	L. Lansbury	C. Bennett	C. Bennett	H. Murray	1872
1873 W. M. Wilson	T. White Jr	B. E. Charlton	F. Mudge	T. B. Harris	G. M. Innes	J. Nettleton	J. Nettleton	J. A. Campbell	1873
1874 W. M. Wilson	J. K. Kerr	W. R. White	H. Murray	T. B. Harris	G. M. Innes	D. M. Maloch	D. M. Maloch	J. W. Hodges	1874
1875 J. K. Kerr	W. H. Weller	G. S. Burrell	A. J. Cambie	T. B. Harris	G. M. Innes	J. G. Burns	J. G. Burns	E. H. Long	1875
1876 J. K. Kerr	W. H. Weller	H. F. Sharp	E. Allworth	T. B. Harris	J. J. Mason	W. R. Ross	W. R. Ross	E. C. Wilkinson	1876
1877 W. H. Weller	J. A. Henderson	G. Stewart	E. Mitchell	T. B. Harris	J. J. Mason	J. G. Robb	J. G. Robb	J. H. Murray	1877
1878 W. H. Weller	J. A. Henderson	H. T. Tracy	E. Mitchell	T. B. Harris	J. J. Mason	C. W. Paterson	C. W. Paterson	J. C. Boal	1878
1879 J. A. Henderson	J. Moffat	D. McLelland	J. Walsh	T. B. Harris	J. J. Mason	J. Gallagher	J. Gallagher	J. H. Murray	1879
1880 J. A. Henderson	J. Moffat	J. Lovenden	H. Walker	T. B. Harris	J. J. Mason	R. L. Gunn	R. L. Gunn	J. A. Campbell	1880
1881 J. Moffat	D. Spy	W. Hayden	W. A. Gunn	T. B. Harris	J. J. Mason	J. Hay	J. Hay	J. W. Hodges	1881
1882 D. Spy	H. Murray	J. R. Robertson	W. T. Bray	T. B. Harris	J. J. Mason	E. Davis	E. Davis	E. H. Long	1882
1883 D. Spy	H. Murray	E. Plant	S. S. Dewar	T. B. Harris	J. J. Mason	J. T. Wright	J. T. Wright	E. T. Malone	1883
1884 H. Murray	H. Robertson	G. R. Vanzant	W. A. Green	T. B. Harris	J. J. Mason	G. Crystal	G. Crystal	J. C. Boal	1884
1885 H. Murray	H. Robertson	R. L. Patterson	W. Forbes	T. B. Harris	J. J. Mason	H. W. Davies	H. W. Davies	J. C. Robinson	1885
1886 H. Murray	R. T. Waltem	J. E. Davidson	W. J. Simpson	T. B. Harris	J. J. Mason	C. L. Worrall	C. L. Worrall	J. G. Bennett	1886
1887 H. Robertson	R. T. Waltem	A. W. Porte	G. R. Rower	T. B. Harris	J. J. Mason	R. J. Craig	R. J. Craig	R. J. Craig	1887
1888 R. T. Waltem	J. R. Robertson	J. Beck	E. Mitchell	T. B. Harris	J. J. Mason	C. L. Worrall	C. L. Worrall	D. A. McKeelan	1888
1889 R. T. Waltem	J. R. Robertson	J. A. Wills	E. Mitchell	T. B. Harris	J. J. Mason	F. B. Armstrong	F. B. Armstrong	D. Armstrong	1889
1890 J. R. Robertson	J. McLauchlan	M. Walsh	E. Mitchell	T. B. Harris	J. J. Mason	F. M. Morson	F. M. Morson	F. M. Morson	1890
1891 J. R. Robertson	J. M. Gibson	G. C. Davis	E. Mitchell	T. B. Harris	J. J. Mason	J. J. Craig	J. J. Craig	J. J. Craig	1891
1892 J. M. Gibson	J. M. Gibson	L. A. Mangy	E. Mitchell	T. B. Harris	J. J. Mason	J. C. Boal	J. C. Boal	J. C. Boal	1892
1893 J. M. Gibson	W. R. White	R. W. Barker	G. Inglis	T. B. Harris	J. J. Mason	J. H. Fairlie	J. H. Fairlie	J. H. Fairlie	1893
1894 W. R. White	W. Gibson	L. Second	H. Murray	T. B. Harris	J. J. Mason	L. A. Betts	L. A. Betts	R. J. Craig	1894
1895 W. R. White	G. Gibson	T. Lester	F. Cook	T. B. Harris	J. J. Mason	C. L. Worrall	C. L. Worrall	M. Gibbs	1895
1896 W. R. White	J. B. Rankin	J. B. Rankin	J. W. Hodges	T. B. Harris	J. J. Mason	J. W. Hodges	J. W. Hodges	J. W. Hodges	1896
1897 W. Gibson	E. T. Malone	A. McGinnis	H. Murray	T. B. Harris	J. J. Mason	E. H. Mussell	E. H. Mussell	E. H. Mussell	1897
1898 E. T. Malone	E. T. Malone	S. F. Passmore	H. Murray	T. B. Harris	J. J. Mason	J. H. Hetherington	J. H. Hetherington	J. H. Hetherington	1898
1899 E. T. Malone	R. B. Hungerford	C. W. Postlethwaite	H. Rush	T. B. Harris	J. J. Mason	J. S. Mathews	J. S. Mathews	J. A. Congdon	1899
1899 E. T. Malone	R. B. Hungerford	H. P. Macdonell	J. R. Stuart	T. B. Harris	J. J. Mason	T. M. Davis	T. M. Davis	R. Campbell	1899

1900	R. B. Hungerford	J. E. Harding	A. G. McWhinney	A. Gibson	H. Murray	J. J. Mason	J. C. Farthing	J. D. Clark
1901	R. B. Hungerford	J. E. Harding	T. Clipperton	A. E. Dyment	H. Murray	J. J. Mason	R. Von Pirch	J. O'Hara
1902	J. E. Harding	B. Allen	S. Buchanan	O. Elwood	H. Murray	J. J. Mason	E. B. Davies	L. A. Abbott
1903	J. E. Harding	B. Allen	G. V. Eakins	R. V. Mathews	E. T. Malone	H. Murray	A. J. F. Davis	C. E. Harris
1904	J. H. Burritt	W. H. Browne	J. D. White	E. T. Malone	H. Murray	H. Murray	H. L. Cameron	J. H. Murray
1905	J. H. Burritt	A. T. Freed	H. J. Howell	H. T. White	E. T. Malone	H. Murray	H. Baynes Reid	J. Lawson
1906	J. H. Burritt	A. T. Freed	H. A. Taylor	A. K. Wanless	E. T. Malone	H. Murray	F. E. Howitt	J. C. Williams
1907	J. H. Burritt	D. F. Macwatt	P. A. Somerville	P. A. Somerville	E. T. Malone	H. Murray	C. H. Rich	W. D. Tyre
1908	A. T. Freed	D. F. Macwatt	E. E. Fraser	J. C. Bartram	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	F. C. Harper	W. F. Full
1909	D. F. Macwatt	A. White	J. P. Rankin	T. Rowe	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	F. E. Pitts	Rutherford
1910	D. F. Macwatt	A. White	L. R. Terwilliger	R. H. Kidd	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	G. M. Gorrell	F. E. Pitts
1911	D. F. Macwatt	A. White	W. D. McPherson	J. A. Grobb	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	W. de La Rosa	H. T. Smith
1912	A. White	W. D. McPherson	W. N. Shaver	T. G. Davis	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	S. A. Woods	A. N. Petit
1913	W. D. McPherson	S. A. Luke	H. W. Wilson	R. Miller	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	W. M. Kannawin	J. Dixon
1914	W. D. McPherson	S. A. Luke	S. D. Warren	J. Boyd	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	D. Stewart	O. Cars
1915	W. H. Wardrop	G. Moore	R. W. Clewlow	J. Tanner	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	G. A. Woodsidé	R. J. Gibson
1916	S. A. Luke	W. H. Wardrop	W. H. Line	J. G. Cane	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	W. H. Snellgrove	T. Marshall
1917	W. H. Wardrop	F. W. Harcourt	W. O. Adams	G. W. Flaker	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	W. H. Snellgrove	J. W. Hickson
1918	W. H. Wardrop	F. W. Harcourt	F. W. Abinorth	F. W. Abinorth	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	D. Parsell	J. D. Byrnes
1919	W. H. Wardrop	F. W. Harcourt	T. Barber	M. Wilbie	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	J. W. Andrew	D. Parsell
1920	W. N. Ponton	H. McKenzie	W. R. Madill	W. R. Madill	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	G. H. Purchase	J. W. Cans
1921	W. N. Ponton	W. J. Dope	D. A. Esdale	W. P. McMaster	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	G. McLeish	J. W. Cans
1922	W. N. Ponton	W. J. Dope	F. C. Petty	T. Forsyth	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	C. Piercy	J. W. Allen
1923	W. J. Dope	J. A. Rowland	W. F. Monague	F. G. French	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	A. J. Bruce	J. A. Orr
1924	W. J. Dope	J. A. Rowland	A. J. Murray	P. Walsh	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	E. Shepard	J. F. Mercer
1925	J. A. Rowland	J. S. Martin	W. Osler	J. W. Wansbrough	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	J. D. Byrnes	J. D. Byrnes
1926	J. A. Rowland	J. S. Martin	A. Rome	M. Heron	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	D. Parsell	J. W. Cans
1927	J. S. Martin	R. B. Dargavel	G. Fairley	S. Kirk	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	J. W. Cans	J. W. Cans
1928	J. S. Martin	R. B. Dargavel	G. Fairley	S. Seago	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	J. W. Cans	J. W. Cans
1929	R. B. Dargavel	W. S. Herrington	J. W. Plewes	S. W. Seago	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	J. W. Cans	J. W. Cans
1930	R. B. Dargavel	W. S. Herrington	J. McCulloch	J. McCulloch	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	J. W. Cans	J. W. Cans
1931	W. S. Herrington	F. A. Copus	J. K. Wade	J. A. Robinson	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	J. W. Cans	J. W. Cans
1932	W. S. Herrington	F. A. Copus	V. Williamson	J. L. Freiston	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	J. W. Cans	J. W. Cans
1933	F. A. Copus	F. H. Gimblet	H. E. Gimblet	S. A. Marshall	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	J. W. Cans	J. W. Cans
1934	F. A. Copus	A. J. Anderson	A. E. Coombs	B. B. Hodges	J. A. Rowland	R. L. Gunn	J. W. Cans	J. W. Cans
1935	A. J. Anderson	W. J. Anderson	A. W. Drummond	B. B. Hodges	J. A. Rowland	R. L. Gunn	J. Morris	J. Morris
1936	A. J. Anderson	W. J. Dunlop	G. E. French	S. Vila	J. A. Rowland	R. L. Gunn	W. M. Lee	W. M. Lee
1937	W. J. Anderson	W. J. Dunlop	G. S. Guhlke	S. J. Martin	J. A. Rowland	R. L. Gunn	S. Young	S. Young
1938	W. J. Dunlop	J. A. Dargavel	J. A. Hearn	J. A. Hearn	J. A. Rowland	R. L. Gunn	R. C. McDermid	R. C. Ross
1939	W. J. Dunlop	J. A. Dargavel	W. E. Gowling	J. A. Hay	J. A. Rowland	R. L. Gunn	W. C. White	F. E. Stillman
1940	J. A. Dargavel	J. A. Dargavel	W. T. Overend	J. A. M. Hay	J. A. Rowland	R. L. Gunn	S. C. Dixon	J. A. Spencer
1941	J. A. M. Rae	T. C. Wardley	J. A. M. Rae	B. C. Beasley	J. A. Rowland	R. L. Gunn	J. Lyons	J. Lyons
1942	J. A. M. Rae	T. C. Wardley	J. A. M. Rae	M. J. Kinone	J. A. Rowland	R. L. Gunn	C. D. Sucee	C. D. Sucee
1943	T. C. Wardley	J. Rosie	W. J. Dunlop	A. R. Graham	J. A. Rowland	R. L. Gunn	S. E. Lambert	S. E. Lambert
1944	T. C. Wardley	T. C. Wardley	G. F. Gibson	D. G. McClelland	J. A. Rowland	R. L. Gunn	W. O. Matthews	W. O. Matthews
1945	C. S. Hamilton	C. S. Hamilton	W. Y. Mills	E. G. Dixon	J. A. Rowland	R. L. Gunn	J. Morris	J. Morris
1946	T. H. Simpson	T. H. Simpson	E. A. Miller	A. L. Bennett	J. A. Rowland	R. L. Gunn	W. N. Lowrie	W. N. Lowrie
1947	T. H. Simpson	T. H. Simpson	J. E. Red	A. L. Bennett	J. A. Rowland	R. L. Gunn	J. W. Kidd	J. W. Kidd
1948	T. H. Simpson	T. H. Simpson	G. W. Beglan	E. G. Dison	J. A. Rowland	R. L. Gunn	G. W. Beglan	G. W. Beglan
1949	J. P. Maher	J. P. Maher	J. E. Red	E. G. Dison	J. A. Rowland	R. L. Gunn	J. W. Kidd	J. W. Kidd

GRAND LODGE OF CANADA ANNUAL COMMUNICATION

Date of Election	Grand Master	Deputy Grand Master	Grand Senior Warden	Grand Junior Warden	Grand Treasurer	Grand Secretary	Grand Chaplain	Grand Registrar	Date of Election
1950	J. P. Maher	N. C. Hart	L. A. Simpson	B. A. Wilson	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	G. S. Scovell	A. D. Read	1950
1951	N. C. Hart	J. A. Heam	E. N. Gregory	R. W. Richards	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	Morrison Stellar	H. B. Coxon	1951
1952	N. C. Hart	J. A. Heam	J. W. McLaughlin	J. F. Heap	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	C. D. Donald	F. E. MacKeever	1952
1953	J. A. Heam	W. L. Wright	R. M. Gansousi	G. F. Guy	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	H. B. Neal	G. V. Tario	1953
1954	J. A. Heam	W. L. Wright	M. C. Cain	Hugh Tatt	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	H. G. Cleghorn	J. I. Johnstone	1954
1955	W. L. Wright	H. L. Marlyn	D. M. Fleming	J. A. Irvine	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	J. M. Brownlie	C. J. Bailey	1955
1956	H. L. Marlyn	W. L. Wright	P. A. Smith	P. E. Langman	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	G. M. Guest	H. R. Wellington	1956
1957	H. L. Marlyn	C. M. Pitts	J. B. Ryan	J. N. Salter	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	E. A. McCullagh	O. E. Keene	1957
1958	H. L. Marlyn	C. M. Pitts	E. L. James	J. B. Sainsbury	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	R. S. Skinner	R. C. Woodley	1958
1959	C. M. Pitts	R. W. Trealeaven	J. J. Tainan	T. H. Hamilton	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	M. G. R. Williams	J. E. McKeever	1959
1960	C. M. Pitts	R. W. Trealeaven	E. H. Wilson	J. R. Grant	J. A. Hearm	E. G. Dixon	R. G. H. Townsend	D. H. Townsend	1960
1961	R. W. Trealeaven	J. A. Irvine	G. C. Bennett	W. M. Prentice	J. A. Hearm	E. G. Dixon	J. A. Anderson	H. L. Barrett	1961
1962	R. W. Trealeaven	J. A. Irvine	A. P. Johnson	T. L. Wilson	J. A. Hearm	E. G. Dixon	J. B. Creggan	H. O. Polk	1962
1963	J. A. Irvine	L. J. Crooks	J. R. Dargatz	J. R. Dargatz	J. A. Hearm	E. G. Dixon	H. J. Snell	J. J. R. Ballantyne	1963
1964	J. A. Irvine	J. N. Allan	G. H. Glimer	J. A. Hearm	E. G. Dixon	A. K. Campbell	E. G. Dixon	W. Mog	1964
1965	J. N. Allan	D. J. Gunn	W. D. Stevens	J. A. McClearve	J. A. Hearm	E. G. Dixon	S. E. Stevenson	G. K. Johnson	1965
1966	J. N. Allan	D. J. Gunn	D. J. Gunn	T. C. Boon	J. A. Hearm	E. G. Dixon	E. E. Baskier	J. M. Burnett	1966
1967	D. J. Gunn	B. B. Foster	J. M. Ritchie	D. C. Mackenzie	J. A. Hearm	E. G. Dixon	D. F. Smith	W. H. Cheetham	1967
1968	D. J. Gunn	B. B. Foster	Herbert Murphy	G. B. Rickard	M. C. Cooper	E. G. Dixon	A. J. McLaughlin	J. A. Foster	1968
1969	B. B. Foster	G. I. Davies	R. L. Burns	W. J. Jess	E. G. Dixon	M. S. Jess	J. E. G. Irlough	G. R. Bruce	1969
1970	B. B. Foster	W. K. Bailey	James Speirs	K. L. Luther	M. C. Cooper	E. G. Dixon	J. E. G. Irlough	G. R. Bruce	1970
1971	W. K. Bailey	G. E. Turner	P. de Karwin	M. C. Cooper	J. A. Irvine	T. R. Davies	C. J. Miller	1971	
1972	W. K. Bailey	G. E. Turner	S. Raiford	M. C. Cooper	J. A. Irvine	H. G. Lowry	R. Green	R. N. Rowland	1972
1973	G. E. Turner	E. W. Nanciekell	R. S. Throop	M. J. Bradley	M. C. Cooper	J. A. Irvine	D. de Cornille	F. N. Rupert	1973
1974	G. E. Turner	E. W. Nanciekell	R. H. A. Hope	M. C. Cooper	J. A. Irvine	A. W. Watson	J. A. Gent	J. A. Gent	1974
1975	E. W. Nanciekell	R. E. Davies	J. C. Baxter	M. C. Cooper	J. A. Irvine	Wm Farley	Jack Sutton	Jack Sutton	1975
1976	E. W. Nanciekell	R. E. Davies	R. E. Grosnaw	J. A. T. Behan	M. C. Cooper	J. A. Irvine	G. C. C. Scovil	M. B. Diamond	1976
1977	E. W. Nanciekell	R. E. Davies	R. E. Davies	W. A. Isbister	M. C. Cooper	J. A. Irvine	Eric Snel	A. G. Birkies	1977
1978	E. W. Nanciekell	R. E. Davies	N. R. Richards	A. J. MacCallum	R. A. Huddy	J. N. Allan	J. A. Irvine	E. W. Matches	1978
1979	E. W. Nanciekell	R. E. Davies	N. R. Richards	A. N. Newell	N. R. Strott	J. N. Allan	K. F. Tudor	J. H. Johnstone	1979
1980	E. W. Nanciekell	R. E. Davies	H. O. Polk	C. E. B. Le Gresley	G. R. Jackson	J. N. Allan	R. E. Davies	R. F. W. Inrig	1980
1981	E. W. Nanciekell	R. E. Davies	H. O. Polk	N. V. R. Camp	B. D. Lamont	J. N. Allan	Geo Morris	H. C. Secker	1980
1982	E. W. Nanciekell	R. E. Davies	H. O. Polk	E. A. Gould	K. G. Bartlett	J. N. Allan	G. H. Presque	F. C. Lovering	1981
1983	E. W. Nanciekell	R. E. Davies	H. O. Polk	R. E. Jewell	E. G. Burton	J. N. Allan	D. A. Davies	W. R. C. Bradford	1982
1984	E. W. Nanciekell	R. E. Davies	H. O. Polk	R. J. Chamberlin	W. G. Spears	J. N. Allan	F. S. Foote	S. F. Foote	1983
1985	E. W. Nanciekell	R. E. Davies	H. O. Polk	W. R. Lawson	W. A. Evans	J. N. Allan	P. F. Wickett	P. Moffatt	1984
1986	E. W. Nanciekell	R. E. Davies	H. O. Polk	C. A. W. Ball	K. R. Brown	J. N. Allan	D. M. Wilson	D. M. Wilson	1985
1987	E. W. Nanciekell	R. E. Davies	H. O. Polk	F. J. Gilpin	G. Dunn	J. N. Allan	R. T. Flowers	E. C. Parker	1986
1988	E. W. Nanciekell	R. E. Davies	H. O. Polk	*A. Grant	A. F. Pearson	J. N. Allan	R. E. Davies	J. S. Davies	1987
1989	E. W. Nanciekell	R. E. Davies	H. O. Polk	A. Copeland	A. L. Copeland	J. N. Allan	M. D. Hart	R. R. Porter	1988
1990	E. W. Nanciekell	R. E. Davies	H. O. Polk	J. M. Boersma	J. M. Boersma	J. M. Boersma	J. M. Boersma	J. M. Boersma	1989
1991	E. W. Nanciekell	R. E. Davies	H. O. Polk	N. E. Byrne	N. E. Byrne	N. E. Byrne	P. Barlow	G. L. Green	1990
1992	E. W. Nanciekell	R. E. Davies	H. O. Polk	C. E. Drew	C. E. Drew	C. E. Drew	J. A. Johnston	M. MacKenzie	1991
1993	E. W. Nanciekell	R. E. Davies	H. O. Polk	A. L. Copeland	A. L. Copeland	A. L. Copeland	D. Mitchell	H. J. Hough	1992
				D. I. Greenwood	D. I. Greenwood	D. I. Greenwood	A. L. Copeland	J. W. Cooper	1993
				A. A. Barker	A. A. Barker	A. A. Barker	T. R. Davies	F. K. Hyatt	

1994	C. E. Drew	D. I. Greenwood	W. C. Thompson	T. S. Crowley	T. R. Davies	R. E. Davies	D. Wilkinson	P. R. Borland
1995	D. I. Greenwood	W. T. Anderson	L. Harrison	K. G. Crawley	T. R. Davies	R. E. Davies	M. D. Stenburgh	M. H. Tosh
1996	D. I. Greenwood	W. T. Anderson	*M. G. Brellisford	D. H. Clouse	T. R. Davies	R. E. Davies	J. C. Davison	G. A. Monk
	I. D. Nichols							
1997	W. T. Anderson	R. J. McKibbon	R. Walsh	B. J. Gyton	T. R. Davies	R. E. Davies	M. F. Wellwood	V. V. Cormack
1998	W. T. Anderson	R. J. McKibbon	L. J. Fenugely	D. J. Ward	T. R. Davies	R. E. Davies	V. Poelzer	Z. M. Loos
1999	R. J. McKibbon	T. Shand	P. F. Irwin	W. N. Bain	T. R. Davies	R. E. Davies	J. H. Seely	D. A. Fickling
2000	R. J. McKibbon	T. Shand	E. R. Harrison	R. S. J. Daniels	T. R. Davies	R. E. Davies	W. Gundrum	D. R. Woodhouse
2001	T. Shand	D. H. Mumby	R. T. Sunson	M. A. Dow	T. R. Davies	R. E. Davies	P. D. Kett	M. J. Diamond
2002	T. Shand	D. H. Mumby	R. C. James	P. J. McGrenere	T. R. Davies	R. J. McKibbon	J. G. Roberts	J. D. Bell
2003	D. H. Mumby	G. L. Atkinson	D. A. West	F. J. Collins	T. R. Davies	*R. J. McKibbon	M. J. Moor	H. Mohandise
						T. Shand		
2004	D. H. Mumby	G. L. Atkinson	A. Pendleton	R. F. Hewitt	T. R. Davies	T. Shand	H. A. Wilson	D. L. Green
2005	G. L. Atkinson	A. J. Petrisor	T. J. Forbes	G. A. Cousins	T. R. Davies	T. Shand	H. A. Kenmohan	T. R. Harland
2006	G. L. Atkinson	A. J. Petrisor	W. G. McKee	D. J. McNair	T. R. Davies	T. Shand	A. H. Ilackett	P. D. Tink

*Died during term

HONORARY OFFICERS

*Henry T. Backus	Michigan	1857	P.G.M.
*Philip C. Tucker	Vermont	1857	P.G.M.
*Michael Furnell	Ireland	1857	P.D.D.G.M.
*W. C. Stephens	Hamilton	1858	P.G.M.
*Robert Morris	Kentucky	1858	P.D.G.M.
*T. D. Harington	Montreal	1858	P.G.M.
*Thos. G. Ridout	Toronto	1859	P.G.M.
*Aldis Bernard	Montreal	1860	P.G.M.
*Thomas Drummond	Kingston	1862	P.G.J.W.
*John H. Graham	Richmond	1864	P.G.J.W.
*Jas. V. MacKey	Ireland	1867	P.G.S.W.
*Brackstone Baker	England	1868	P.G.S.W.
*Sir John A. Macdonald	Kingston	1868	P.G.S.W.
*John V. Ellis	New Brunswick	1869	P.G.S.W.
*Rev. C. P. Bliss	New Brunswick	1871	P.G.Chap.
*Wm. H. Frazer	Wisconsin	1873	P.G.Reg.
*H. A. Mackay	Hamilton	1873	P.G.Reg.
*Thos. White Jr.	Montreal	1874	P.G.M.
*J. A. Lockwood	New York	1882	P.G.S.W.
*Otto Klotz	Preston	1885	P.G.M.
*Geo. C. Patterson	Toronto	1897	P.G.Reg.
*T. R. Barton	Toronto	1897	P.G.Reg.
*J. J. Ramsay	Toronto	1897	P.G.Reg.
*Kivas Tully	Toronto	1897	P.G.M.
*W. A. Sutherland	New York	1900	P.G.M.
*J. J. Mason	Hamilton	1900	P.G.M.
*Chief Justice Gerald Fitz-Gibbon	Ireland	1900	P.G.S.W.
*N. L. Steiner	Toronto	1900	P.G.Reg.
*Alex Patterson	Toronto	1901	P.G.Reg.
*H.R.H. Duke of Connaught	England	1902	P.G.M.
*Lord Ampthill	England	1919	P.G.M.
*Gerald Fitzgibbon, K.C.	Ireland	1920	P.G.S.W.
*Rt. Hon. Lord Desborough, K.C.V.O.	England	1920	P.G.S.W.
*Stanley Machin, J.P.	England	1920	P.G.S.W.
*Jas. H. Stirling	Ireland	1920	P.G.S.W.
*A. Cecil Powell	England	1920	P.G.J.W.
*John Dickens	England	1920	P.G.J.W.
*R. F. Richardson	Strathroy	1920	P.G.Reg.
*Sir George McLaren Brown	England	1921	P.G.Reg.
*Sir John Ferguson	England	1923	P.G.S.W.
*H. Hamilton-Wedderburn	England	1923	P.G.J.W.
*Arthur E. Carlyle	England	1923	P.G.J.W.
*Dudley H. Ferrell	Massachusetts	1923	P.G.M.
*Chas. H. Ramsay	Massachusetts	1923	P.G.S.W.
*Frank H. Hilton	Massachusetts	1923	P.G.J.W.
*A. Beiter	Pennsylvania	1923	P.G.M.
*S. W. Goodyear	Pennsylvania	1923	P.D.G.M.
*George Ross	Toronto	1925	P.G.Reg.
*Chas. B. Murray	Toronto	1925	P.G.Reg.
*Sir Alfred Robbins	England	1927	P.G.S.W.
*Earl of Stair	Scotland	1931	P.G.M.
*Lord Donoughmore	Ireland	1931	P.G.M.
*Viscount Galway	England	1931	P.G.S.W.
*Canon F. J. G. Gillmor	England	1931	P.G.Chap.
*J. Bridges Eustace	England	1931	P.G.Reg.
*Robt. J. Soddy	England	1933	P.G.S'd.
*Gen. Sir Francis Davies	England	1938	P.D.G.M.
*Canon Thomas T. Blockley	England	1938	P.G.Chap.
*Rt. Hon. Viscount de Vesci	England	1938	P.G.S.W.
*Major R. L. Loyd	England	1938	P.G.Reg.
*Raymond F. Brooke	Ireland	1938	P.D.G.M.
*Rt. Hon. Lord Farnham	Ireland	1938	P.G.S.W.
*Dr. W. E. Thrift	Ireland	1938	P.G.J.W.
*Gen Sir. Norman A. Orr-Ewing	Scotland	1938	P.G.M.
*T. G. Winning	Scotland	1938	P.G.J.W.
*Joseph E. Petty	Massachusetts	1938	P.G.M.

*Reginald Harris	Nova Scotia	1938	P.G.M.
*Norman T. Avard	Nova Scotia	1938	P.G.M.
*Sir E. H. Cooper	England	1940	P.G.Reg.
*Field Marshal Viscount Alexander	England	1947	P.G.S.W.
*Ernest B. Thompson	Hamilton	1959	P.G.S.W.
*James W. Hamilton	Hamilton	1959	P.G.S.W.
*E. G. Dixon	Hamilton	1963	P.G.M.
*Robert Strachan	Hamilton	1963	P.G.S.W.
*Sir Edwin Leather	England	1966	P.G.Reg.
*A. C. Ashforth	Toronto	1971	P.G.S.W.
*M. C. Hooper	Toronto	1973	P.G.M.
*Eric C. Horwood	Toronto	1974	P.G.S.W.
*J. Lawrence Runnalls	St. Catharines	1975	P.G.S.W.
*James C. Guy	Ancaster	1976	P.G.S.W.
*John W. Millar	Toronto	1979	P.G.S.W.
*R. Wilson McConnell	Toronto	1981	P.G.S.W.
Hunter Reid	Riceville	1982	P.G.S.W.
John I. Carrick	Hamilton	1983	P.G.S.W.
T. Richard Davies	Toronto	1985	P.G.S.W.
George W. Kerr	Weston	1986	P.G.S.W.
*T. John Arthur	Willowdale	1987	P.G.M.
*W. Norman Buckingham	Burlington	1989	P.G.S.W.
Samuel H. Cohen	Toronto	1989	P.G.S.W.
Raymond Hutson	London	1989	P.G.S.W.
J. M. Marcus Humphrey of Dinnet	Scotland	1990	P.D.G.M.
*Douglas H. Bliss	Stoney Creek	1990	P.G.S.W.
Kenneth L. Schweitzer	Hamilton	1990	P.G.S.W.
James T. Cassie	Willowdale	1993	P.G.S.W.
J. Lloyd Mellor	Toronto	1995	P.G.S.W.
*Robert N. Wilson	Toronto	1995	P.G.S.W.
*Nathaniel Granstein	Paris	1996	P.D.G.M.
Alex Watson	Mount Forest	1996	P.G.S.W.
Melvyn J. Duke	Toronto	1997	P.G.S.W.
G. Wayne Nelson	Englehart	1999	P.G.S.W.
James W. Daniel	England	2001	P.G.Secy
Thomas W. Jackson	Pennsylvania	2001	P.G.Secy
John K. Baskey	London	2002	P.G.S.W.
*Donald W. Lewis	Stouffville	2002	P.G.S.W.
Frederick Halpern	Thornhill	2004	P.G.S.W.

*Deceased

LIST OF GRAND LODGES
With names of Grand Secretaries and Grand Representatives

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		Near other G.L.	Near G.L. Canada(Ont)
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England	R. A. H. Morrow	Sir I. Percival	R. E. Davies
Ireland	D. B. Lyons	C. Taylor	W. R. Pellow
Scotland	D. M. Begg	C. M. McGibbon	R. E. Groshaw
Dominion of Canada			
Alberta	J. W. Kopp	J. R. Crawford	D. A. Campbell
British Col/Yukon	J. C. Gordon	C. G. Wardlaw	R. A. Barnett
Manitoba	C. Rae Haldane-Wilsone	E. H. Jones	A. P. Stephen
New Brunswick	J. R. Andrews	I. D. Steeves	F. R. Branscombe
Newfoundland/Lab	L. B. Grandy	N. M. Chaplin	T. Shand
Nova Scotia	R. H. Northup	R. E. Eisner	F. G. Dunn
Pr Ed Island	R. Caseley	R. A. Ellis	T. E. Lewis
Quebec	P. Mailhot	M. A. Kershaw	N. R. Richards
Saskatchewan	J. E. Carey	J. Calvert	T. Pachal
United States of America			
Alabama	J. M. Underwood	M. L. Jones	A. Simpson
Alaska	J. R. "Bo" Cline	M. M. Routzahn	T. W. Hogboom
Arizona	G. H. Stublein Sr	J. L. Alexakis	A. B. Loopstra
Arkansas	J. L. Weatherall	W. R. Baugus	H. P. Wilson
California	J. L. Cooper III	C. R. MacPhee	R. S. Whitmore
Colorado	G. A. Ford	C. M. Baum	C. M. Miller
Connecticut	R. G. Fitzgerald	A. R. Van Gasbeck	G. L. Atkinson
Delaware	J. E. Waecker Sr	J. S. Russell	G. E. Hinds
Dist of Columbia	M. Hatefi	L. L. Merryman	J. M. Wagg
Florida	R. C. Sheppard	R. J. Manning	E. P. Finkbeiner
Georgia	D. I. DeKalb	T. M. Taylor Sr	T. A. McLean
Hawaii	A. L. Skinner	G. L. Riggs	J. P. McLaughlin
Idaho	V. E. Patrick	A. L. Lester	D. A. Conway
Illinois	B. L. Grisham	J. M. Barkdull	G. R. Clauson
Indiana	M. L. Carpenter	—	R. C. Davies
Iowa	W. R. Crawford	R. D. Overton	—
Kansas	R. B. Pfuetze	D. R. Stump	J. M. Jolley
Kentucky	J. R. Conway	W. F. Fink	L. E. Behrns
Louisiana	T. J. Pitman	K. L. Richardson	K. L. Whiting
Maine	H. G. Dixon	R. B. Ross	L. W. Westwell
Maryland	H. Y. Holcomb III	J. A. Vytal	J. D. Angus
Massachusetts	A. E. Johnson	J. B. Losee	D. C. Bradley
Michigan	R. W. Stevens	E. J. Neetenbeek	T. V. Horner
Minnesota	D. J. Campbell	P. R. Smith	J. T. Cassie
Mississippi	F. F. Bean	J. A. Noland Jr	G. T. Rogers
Missouri	R. D. Miller	M. A. Bates	J. V. Lawer
Montana	R. L. Gardiner	P. R. Eveland	K. L. Schweitzer
Nebraska	B. A. Watkins	F. E. Crowdis	R. G. Wands
Nevada	A. K. Cronin	M. H. Morse	E. J. B. Anderson
New Hampshire	J. C. Marden	F. J. Eilert	D. G. Dowling
New Jersey	R. P. Bellini	—	W. E. Elgie
New Mexico	D. R. Calloway	G. G. Adams	—
New York	G. Savitzky	J. R. Tillett	C. E. Drew
North Carolina	T. W. Clapp III	J. S. Ruifsson	D. F. Clark
North Dakota	C. Mundahl	D. L. Dresser	P. E. Todd
Ohio	G. O. Braatz	C. J. Reamy Jr	D. I. Greenwood
Oklahoma	G. D. Odom	P. J. Stidd	M. J. Thompson
Oregon	A. W. Harvey	—	P. J. Mullen
Pennsylvania	M. A. Haines	—	—

Representatives

Grand Lodge	Grand Secretary	Near other G.L.	Near G.L.
Rhode Island	J. M. Faulhaber	P. A. Burkhardt	Canada(Ont)
South Carolina	G. R. Marsh	C. H. Frampton	D. H. Mumby
South Dakota	L. M. Spies	J. W. Schwietert	K. D. Beggs
Tennessee	J. L. Palmer	M. A. Stinnett	G. Morris
Texas	T. D. Guest	M. M. Skipper	D. M. Sheen
Utah	B. H. Simons	W. A. Merriott Sr	G. C. Phair
Vermont	C. L. Smith	C. L. Marshall	M. L. Shea
Virginia	A. W. Adkins	C. B. Taylor	W. J. Anderson
Washington	D. P. Owen	M. W. Rose	W. F. Cockburn
West Virginia	R. G. Slater	E. M. Casdorph	A. W. Watson
Wisconsin	M. A. DeWolf	R. W. Ward	S. R. Drummond
Wyoming	W. N. Grinnell		R. M. Gunsolus

Other Countries

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Benin	M. A. Lawson		
Burkina Faso	J. C. Nabouyoure	S. Topan	J. H. Hough
Cameroon	B. M. Avom		
Gabon	P. Nzengui-Mabilia	A. Boumah	
Ivory Coast	A. Pitte		
Malian (National)	B. Keita		
Senegal	A. Ndiaye		
South Africa	B. C. Johnson	C. C. R. Heckmann	G. F. W. Inrig
Togolaise (Nat'l)	G. De Souza		
Andorra	A. Picart		
Argentina	L. Acebal	H. Santangelo	K. J. Hay
Armenia	P. B. Najarian		
Australia:			
New South Wales	K. J. McGlinn	R. J. Barrington	T. R. Davies
Queensland	J. W. Rawlinson	K. G. Wells	R. T. Runciman
South Australia	M. A. Atkinson	N. Lynagh	B. E. Bond
Tasmania	A. J. Sangwell	M. J. Keen	J. R. Gilpin
Victoria	B. Reaper	G. J. Sebo	A. A. Barker
Western Australia	V. Schilo	T. Twaddle	M. J. May
Austria	G. Ratzenberger		F. Halpern
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Acre	J. B. Periera		
Amapa	M. C. deS Mescouto		
Amazonas	F. H. de Vasconcellos		
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Ceara	J. E. Rola	J. L. De Vasconcelos F.	L. Little
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Grand Orient	F. T. Colacioppo Jr		
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Mato Grosso do Sul	S. E. Haddad	P. Cury	G. H. Hazlitt
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Para	R. O. G. DaCunha	O. L. Hiltner	E. Jones
Paraiba	M. J. Pereira	A. Elisario de Souza	R. D. Summerville
Parana	M. A. T. Julio	L. G. De Paiua M	C. J. Woodburn
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Rio Grande do Norte	H. De Souza		
Rio Grande do Sul	A. C. S. Rosa	J. W. K. Neto	
Rondonia	W. De O. Bariani		
Santa Catarina	S. G. Mattos		J. David Bell

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Sergipe	J. Gomes DeAmorim		
Tocantins	F. H. de Melo	M. L. L. Gomes	
Bulgaria (U.G.L.)	N. Belopitov	N. R. Tchamov	A. Stokes
Chile	J. J. Oyarzun	E. B. Hamel	M. Dennis
China (Taiwan)	R. M. Chang	S. Hsin	W. C. Frank
Colombia:			
Barranquilla	T. V. Ospina	A. S. Hamilton	
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Cartagena	E. A. Trujillo	N. O. Rico	A. R. Milner
Occidental, Cali	L. D. Hernandez P.		
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Croatia	B. Sober	Z. Zepic	P. Farrell
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Czech Republic	J. Huyghebaert	J. Vecer	G. Turk
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Estonia			
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Greece	G-P Scarlatos	I. A. Souvaliotis	P. Atsidakos
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Honduras	M. Humberto Trejo	H. Soriano A	E. Albrecht
Hungary	J. Bötkös		J. S. Vag
Iceland	T. Oskarsson	O. Ingibjörnsson	J. A. J. Hughes
India	H. Gupta	V. Rajendran	W. E. McLeod
Iran	A. Satrap	A. Soltanzadeh	G. W. Nelson
Israel	V. Serezo	N. Hayman	S. H. Cohen
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Japan	P. A. Ambrose	R. D. Targett	A. J. Petrisor
Luxembourg	M. Lacaf	J. Nilles	D. Langridge
Madagascar	G. DeS. Hirst		N. G. Stacey
Malta	A. A. Pisani		
Mauritius	M. Lionett		
Mexico:			
Nuevo Leon	J. V. Portillo Lopez	H. G. Cantu	W. H. Hightower
Tamaulipas	J. C. Martinez Rangel		
York	R. T. Arias	J. H. Berge	R. K. Campbell
Morocco	O. Mouline	P. Mouselli	
Netherlands	F. Andrioli	B. Sarphati	B. K. Schweitzer
New Zealand	L. G. Milton	L. J. Webb	A. D. Hogg
Norway	S. Jorgensen	F. Hauan	J. D. Jackson
Panama	J. P. Inglesias	C. Quistgard	L. J. Hostine
Paraguay (Symbolic)	E. V. Garay		
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Philippines	R. S. Fajardo	B. K. Tan	J. I. Carrick
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Puerto Rico	V. O. Yera	J. R. Lopez R.	P. W. Hooper
Russia	V. Nikitin		
Spain	J. Herms	J. A. Rivas Lopez	R. S. Throop
Sweden	A. Grafström	A. Fahlman	L. W. Hammel
Switzerland(Alpina)	J. P. Dousett	J. Krahenbuhl	J. W. Lidstone
Turkey	K. Darga	S. Aksoy	C. A. Houghton
Uruguay	M. A. Butteri		E. J. Brown
Venezuela	R. V. Marcano	C. C. Bratt Castillo	R. C. Tate

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FRATERNAL CORRESPONDENCE

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

It is a privilege and pleasure to report for your Committee on Fraternal Correspondence. This foreword presents the following thirty Reviews of the Annual Proceedings of our sister Grand Lodges received during this past year. We extend sincere thanks to R.W. Bro. Colin Heap for his dedicated and perceptive reviews of the reports received. His carefully condensed outlines enable us to quickly discern the current challenges and undertakings of our fraternal brethren throughout the world. We are indebted to his diligent and time consuming study of these Annual Proceedings. We also recognize and thank, W. Bro. Robert Kluun, for his generous undertaking of the translation for the Review of the Grand Lodge of the Netherlands.

Challenges identified are generally similar to those in our own jurisdiction and declining membership is a main concern. Many jurisdictions are quite open to change to attract and hold members. Others caution that we should steadfastly hold to our established tenets and principals of the order, and some suggest that we should even raise the standards for initiates. Much emphasis is also placed on support of DeMolay and Jobs Daughters for future members and support.

More public openness is promoted by the Grand Master, H.R.H. The Duke Of Kent, in the Grand Lodge of England. They also note that in their Grand Lodge Library and Museum presentation, entitled The Victoria Cross and Freemasonry, that 10% of all Victoria Cross recipients have been Masons.

Many jurisdictions have adopted extensive Public Awareness programs, which include Masonic License Plates, and in Indiana they point out that part of their program has included Roadside Assistance provided to Masons and their families.

Other public promotional programs have included, "Phone Cards" for overseas Troops, Medical Research Funding, Student Scholarships, as well as Child and Moms Identification programs. There is in the U.S.A. a National Masonic CHIP (Child I.D.) week. While the Grand Lodge of Newfoundland and Labrador has reduced its age for applications to 19 years, there are more positive results reported to include the Grand Lodge of Quebec which announced a 5.3% increase in their lodges' attendance last year.

There is much interesting reading in the following Reviews which we recommend to your most earnest perusal.

Sincere thanks are extended to the Grand Secretary, Grand Lodge staff, and in particular, Rose Blandin for their assistance in securing the Proceedings from other Grand Lodges.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted.

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ALBERTA

101th Annual Communication

Calgary, Alberta, June, 2006

M.W. Bro. G. Rex Dawson, Grand Master, in his Report on the Condition of Masonry, observed, "I am happy to present a positive report on the Condition of Masonry within this Grand Jurisdiction. Certainly, within every bed of roses there are bound to be a few prickles. What does seem to be lacking is that telephone call to a Brother who has not been seen for a while, that call to a 'non-attendee.' If we as a Lodge don't care about our members, then pretty soon they won't care about us. The same may be said about Demits and Suspensions. Do we accept these without question or make due enquiry?

It is incumbent on every Master and Lodge member to look to the welfare of his Brother. On the side of the roses, what is most outstanding is the groundswell of increasing interest in our Craft and it is coming from the hearts and minds of young men in the 25 to 40 year age bracket. Some may credit this to the recent releases of popular literature and movies. I am convinced it is also due to a backlash against the deterioration of moral and ethical standards in today's society. The men who are coming to our doors are well informed about Freemasonry, what we stand for and believe in.

We are faced with the challenge of providing these new Masons with what I call the Essential Masonic Experience. This places a demand on the Lodge to make every meeting a worth while event, learning about, discussing and practicing Freemasonry. Lodges making concerted efforts in this regard are experiencing higher attendance of members, who in turn are attracting new men to the Craft. Once again, it is the newer, younger Masons who are demanding higher standards. They do not want to have their Masonic journey 'watered down', but demand to experience it to the full. Ritualistic and floor work done well attracts members and visitors to your Lodge.

The Grand Master concluded, "A challenge that is being faced is that of size. Not that tired and worn lament of declining numbers, but quite the opposite. A number of Lodges are experiencing an exponential growth and as a result lose that feeling of a close-knit community in which everyone knows each other. A certain size is reached and the whole thing becomes impersonal. Lodges facing this dilemma should consider splitting in two and sponsor the chartering of a new Lodge rather than compromising the Masonic Experience."

The Public Awareness Committee has completed a project which will give all lodge secretaries guidelines enabling them to contact, interest and receive appropriate local media recognition and to showcase the works of the Craft through good press coverage. The committee also recommended that District Deputy Grand Masters assume greater responsibility in answering enquiries regarding membership in the Masonic Order, specifically in the areas of initial contact and investigation of the candidate.

R.W. Bro. Donald Roth, Chairman, Foundation for the Future, announced the implementation of the Doric Plan, a series of six training sessions provided to lodges seeking to rejuvenate themselves. Leadership, Membership Development, Masonic Education and Activities, Charity and Public Awareness form the agenda. The five senior officers of the Lodge must agree to take all the training sessions. The project has been successfully launched in Edmonton and Grand Lodge is seeking ways to introduce it to the southern part of the Jurisdiction.

BRITISH COLUMBIA AND YUKON

135th Annual Communication

Chilliwack, British Columbia, June, 2006

M. W. Bro. Robert D. McSween, Grand Master, remarked in his keynote address, "I had the pleasure this year to represent you at several other Jurisdictions and pass on to them the Condition of our Craft. In each Jurisdiction, I heard the same story. Freemasonry is now on

the upsurge and we are seeing more and more men becoming interested in being part of our Fraternity. Evidence of this has been shown to me everywhere I have been. I was especially proud to be there because I know that I belong to one of the premier Jurisdictions of Freemasonry. We are on the right track and all we have to do is keep going in the same direction. One of the issues that I spoke of this year was our membership status. Our website gets an average of 5000 hits a day. I hear that each of our 147 Lodges has an average of 3 candidates, so we have 500 members who are not yet counted on our Roll of Grand Lodge. Although this is very exciting for us, we must maintain a due guard at the west Gate of our Lodge. We must ensure that dignity of Freemasonry has not and never will deteriorate. We must not only insist on good members joining our Craft, but perhaps even raise the standard. We do not want just anybody joining our Fraternity. We are not in the numbers game. We must strive for good men and good men only. If we succeed in this, we will be successful in building a great Fraternity. What is most exciting about our new members is that they are young in age. We must strive to give them what they are looking for so that they are not counted in the demitted numbers that we have been seeing in the last several years."

The Grand Master then spoke of the initiatives Grand Lodge has undertaken to counteract this trend. "We have introduced the Lodge Excellence and Lodge Performance Award Program. It is new and sometimes these things take time to prove they work. It was designed to make the Brethren and the Lodge more active in their normal roles. The goals set in it were very easy to accomplish. This program will continue.

The Demit Report was introduced last year and although it has not been a huge success, it did give us an idea why we had been losing so many of our Brethren. This information will be passed onto the Lodges so that they may take preventative measures against this continuing in the future. Hopefully, this will prove to be successful and halt the decline in membership.

Meetings held with concordant bodies included DeMolay and Job's Daughters. They are our future and it is important for us to support our future.

All Grand Lodge Officers, and I mean ALL, including Grand Stewards, must now submit quarterly reports on the condition of their Lodges and buildings. This was done to give the appointed Grand Lodge Officers more responsibility and accountability. It gave us a better understanding of conditions and most importantly, ensured they were more active in their roles, vouching that proper attention was being paid to their Lodges and Districts. This practice will continue for all future Grand Lodge Officers."

ENGLAND

*Quarterly Communications and Annual Investiture
London, England, March, April, June, September 2006*

The motion to re-elect the Grand Master, H.R.H. The Duke of Kent at the March Communication emphasized his past achievements and leadership qualities. "He has worked tirelessly in the cause of openness so that those outside of our Order may have a better understanding of our aims and objectives. He has guided the Craft through a difficult time with the gentlest of direction, yet achieving a most satisfactory outcome."

In his address, His Royal Highness reminded the Brethren invested with Grand Rank or promoted to higher office that their appointments, "were not simply the recognition of the service you have given to Freemasonry in the past, but just as importantly it is an earnest of the work we expect you to undertake for the future."

His Royal Highness continued, "The Craft has embraced the quality of openness with increasing optimism and the benefits are becoming more visible. Nowhere has this been more apparent than in our charitable activities, which has contributed to the raising of our profile and increasing acceptance in the wider community. As Masons we should all try to involve ourselves in activities which bring joy and happiness to disadvantaged people and

not just assume that a cash donation discharges our responsibilities. We must ensure that our other basic tenets are not forgotten or overlooked and we must look to what observance of all these principles is going to achieve for us. Charity is one of the foundations on which our Order rests, but in all its aspects it is the practical application of Freemasonry to the rest of the World."

The Grand Lodge Strategic Working Party has recommended that the Grand Secretary, while still responsible for Districts and Lodges overseas, will have a reduced role in the conduct of external relations. It is recommended that a new office of Grand Chancellor be created to oversee our relationship with other Grand Lodges. He will be a member of both the Grand Master's Council and the Board. This will mean that the Grand Secretary will be able to concentrate his energies on Masonic matters for the benefit of English Freemasonry in England and Wales and its Provinces and Districts.

The Pro Grand Master, M.W. Bro. The Most Hon .The Marquess of Northampton, in his address commended to the Brethren an exhibit currently on view in the Grand Lodge Library and Museum entitled, 'The Victoria Cross-Most Glorious of Them All.' It marks the 150th Anniversary of the institution of the Victoria Cross in 1856. It is a tribute to the holders of this highest military honour who were also Freemasons. They amount to over 10% of all Victoria Cross winners, "which is a remarkable figure and one of which we can be justifiably proud."

The Museum of the Royal Artillery at Woolwich made a temporary loan of three Victoria Crosses to help launch the exhibition. Sadly, for reasons of security, this loan only lasted for one evening and came complete with its own dedicated guards.

The Board of General Purposes cautioned all Brethren not to become involved with Masonic bodies overseas which Grand Lodge does not recognize. To avoid this danger and potential embarrassment to hosts, Brethren should not attempt to make any Masonic contact overseas without first having checked, preferably in writing, with the Grand Secretary's Office at Freemasons' Hall.

ILLINOIS

*166th Annual Communication
Springfield, Illinois, October, 2005*

M.W. Bro. David W. Miller, Grand Master, focused the theme of his address on youth in Masonry. "In the near future," he began, "the Fraternity will see a significant influx of new Masons. Their thoughts and ideas will be different than we are used to. We must enroll them in our Lodges. If we do not, they will not stay very long. The average time a man has been a member before being suspended for non-payment of dues is 2 to 3 years. If they don't stay, our Lodge won't be around long either. We need to encourage and nurture new Masons to share their thoughts and ideas and commend them when they are offered. This is how confidence is developed and new leaders are born. We, you and I, hold the future of Freemasonry in our hands. Now is the time to embrace change, raise new Master Masons in an environment where they will want to stay and are the future leaders of the Fraternity. Membership has continued to decline. I do believe we have enacted legislation which will turn the tide. Only hard work by all members using the tools now available to them will save this Fraternity. I am optimistic that it will happen, sooner rather than later. This is our last chance for survival. We dare not fail."

M.W. Bro. Robert P. Conley, Past Grand Master of Michigan and guest speaker, expanded on this subject, directly facing the issue of declining numbers and offering positive, optimistic solutions. "No Jurisdiction or organization across the United States is immune to its effect. The first wave of the Boomer generation will soon retire and they are going to look for ways to give back to society. The organizations that allow them to give back to their communities are the ones who will get them and keep them. Similarly, the 25

year old Mason comes into a Lodge with certain expectations. How do you know what they are? Ask them. Take the time to get to know him, what he cares about, what he's passionate about and then find a place for him within your Lodge which will allow him to fulfill those dreams. If you do, your Lodge will prosper. Our only task is to serve each other. The only job we have is to aid and support each other. Right?"

INDIANA

189th Annual Communication

Indianapolis, Indiana, May 2006

In his assessment of the Condition of the Craft, M. W. Bro. Dennis T. Herrell, Grand Master reflected. "I have seen many changes in my forty years in the Craft. I have witnessed loss of membership in proportion to lack of enthusiasm and interest. There was a time when answers seemed elusive. But then came the time to face reality and change certain practices. Changes come cautiously and rightly so, but they are being made and Freemasonry in Indiana is once again flourishing. More petitions are being received. Consequently, more degree conferrals, family activities, community involvement and more Masonic Education."

"Lodges are busy doing what Lodges should do. They are creating their own excitement and determining their own destinies. I challenge all Lodges not experiencing this to assess their situations, make corrections and join this movement to better times and greater achievements. I see younger men taking more active roles and they will carry us to the glory of our former days. But we must support them. That is the role of the veteran. Encourage, support, praise and take pride in the growth of your Lodges. It is just that simple."

"I have also created a new office of Grand Lodge Public Relations, designed to make the most effective use of our advertising dollars. Initiatives such as our CHIP, or Child Identification Program, have flourished. Lodges have seen the need for identification of children in these troubling times and desire to be of service to their respective communities. Parents, schools, police and businesses have all responded most favorably."

The Committee on the Masonic License Plate Program announced increased sales to date in 2006. By purchasing the Indiana Masonic Plate the members are performing a service to the Fraternity. Their vehicle becomes a rolling billboard for Freemasonry and a source of revenue for their Lodge. Other benefits to this outstanding program include recognition by other members which can lead to roadside assistance given freely to a Brother or his family when in need. It can also lead to the establishment of friendships which might otherwise have never occurred.

IRELAND

Quarterly Communication

Dublin, Ireland, December, 2005

M. W. Bro. Eric N. Waller, Grand Master, began his address by affirming, "I am glad to be able to present a positive report on the present state of Irish Freemasonry. I will focus in particular on our Masonic Charities. On average, at any point in time, some 1000 Brethren and Widows are in receipt of annuities to help them enjoy reasonable living standards. Some 460 boys and girls receive grants towards the cost of education at Primary, Secondary and Third Levels. I am not aware of any other organization in Ireland which provides this level of support for those of its members in need. The Freemasons of Ireland Research Fund agreed to support a research project being undertaken at University College, Cork, to investigate how gene therapy may be used to slow the progression of renal failure caused by diabetes type 11, which is increasing at an alarming rate. This is part of our ongoing commitment to making a positive contribution to Irish Society, now and in the future."

Commenting on the public image of Freemasonry, he said, "We will continue with our policy of co-operating with the media whenever suitable opportunities arise. We have

achieved significant press coverage which will reassure the public as to the true nature of Irish Freemasonry by demonstrating that we are an organization which, by espousing the basic principles of integrity, goodwill and charity, is a force for good in the community.”

The Reports of the Provincial Grand Masters indicate that positive media activity has led to direct enquiries for membership which have led to Initiations. Most Provinces reported that membership remains stable, with one Province showing an increase in numbers at a fifteen year high. The Grand Lodge Program, ‘Recruitment, Retention and Retrieval’ also known as, ‘The Three R’s’ has led to an air of optimism and confidence for the future as it appears that the decline in membership has bottomed out and is beginning to increase.

Grand Lodge cautioned that there is still a long way to go, and that the success of this program depends on the full support and co-operation of the Brethren to make progress.

The Grand Secretary, R.W. Bro. Michael Walker, addressing the issue of recruitment, stated, “In marketing terms, we must view Freemasonry as a product. This is what we are selling for uptake by members and potential members. To increase our sales we must improve the product or make the packaging more attractive. Freemasonry is a fairly stable product in itself. Little can be done to alter the product without changing it entirely in both essence and appearance. Its principles and precepts have stood the test of time and are as valid today as ever, even if its acceptance rises and falls on the scales of time. We cannot change the product and stay in the same business. We must be true to ourselves in this. What we can do is upgrade the packaging and make it look more attractive. We can adopt a higher profile and gently, but firmly, “Let our light shine” before men. Freemasonry is not for everyone, but at all times there are those to whom it will appeal. The candle in the window is an invitation understood by all and some will accept and knock on the door. Our principles must stand firm, upright and visible, lest the Arts and Sciences – in our case the whole body of Freemasonry – should slip from the knowledge of man.”

KANSAS

149th Annual Communication
Salina, Kansas, March, 2005

The Grand Master, M.W. Bro. Allan L Hurlburt began his encouraging Address by commenting, “Under a very able and supportive Council of Administration, I am pleased to report that we have ventured into the 21st century with a few improvements this year which have met with many favourable responses. I have found the Craft and the public are eager to learn about our Masonic traditions, values and forefathers. Fortunately, several books and films are currently popular in America which cast Masonry in a favourable light for a change. Fraternal relations with our Kansas Prince Hall brothers were also enhanced this year. In addition to our traditional meetings, we jointly conducted two public dedication ceremonies. On the National level there are now 37 Grand Lodge jurisdictions which have fraternal relations with our Prince Hall counterparts.”

The National Masonic Service Association reported at this Communication that Kansas Masons are very active supporters of the “Operation Phone Home” program for veterans. Developed in partnership with AT & T and the U.S.O., this phone card shows both AT & T and U.S.O. logos, plus, on the left, the Square and Compasses with the words, ‘Compliments of America’s Freemasons.’ These 100 minute international phone cards are for the use of troops overseas. \$4500 was donated to this project by the Kansas Masons Council of Administration.

The Kansas Masonic Foundation reported that the University of Kansas Cancer Institute was renamed the Kansas Masonic Cancer Research Institute. This revised designation will bring new research and resources for providing more effective treatment. The Kansas Masonic Foundation donations to this project since 1974 now exceed \$20 million dollars.

These projects reflected the closing remarks of the Grand Master’s Address, “be innovative in reviving Masonry and making it relevant and vibrant in our communities again.

Good Deeds and Good Works attract Good Members. Ask not what Masonry can do for you, ask what you can do for Masonry."

KENTUCKY

206th Annual Communication

Jefferson County, Kentucky, October 2005

A positive perspective on the issue of numbers and membership formed the core of the Report of the Committee on Proceedings of Other Grand Lodges. "The observer of the activities of the Masonic world will find a great variety of thought and practice. Masonic History reveals that for generations Masons followed practices that were successful and brought the Order into prominence. Quality was stressed in the selection of members. The unnatural growth in membership after World War Two and the Korean War brought about a change in thinking about numbers and members. As petitions returned to a more normal level, some Masonic leaders became alarmed that this inflated and unnatural growth did not continue. The unfortunate result is that some men became Members of Lodges with little more requirement than the payment of fees. In some Jurisdictions no memory work or learning is required. The numbers mania became the prevailing motivation. Men who have a real respect for Masonry will take the time to become a Mason in the proper manner. Then these degrading practices will be replaced by those which brought Freemasonry into prominence. Let no one think all is "doom and gloom" in the Masonic world. Keeping Masonry what it is intended to be will assure our success."

The Report of the Grand Secretary stated that although numbers alone do not indicate the health of the Craft, it does draw attention to the fact that we must make ourselves relevant to the potential members who live where the Lodges are located. "Make no mistake about it, it is at the local level where the acorn of Freemasonry bears fruit. It is at the local level where the community connection is made and the proper building materials are selected to carry on the Masonic tradition."

In his Address the Grand Master, M.W. Bro. David E. Carter reminded the Delegates of the duties and responsibilities they must fulfill to meet the challenges of the 21st Century. "The decisions you will make during the next two days will help set the course for the future. In my travels over the Commonwealth I think the tide has turned and Freemasonry is growing in Kentucky. I sensed a feeling of the remembering of our traditions and tenets. A feeling of change, not of doing away with our heritage, but of a movement toward a future with a rich vision and a strong Fraternity. We must be more relevant to the thinking of the present time. We need strong leadership to push us into a new age, and members with vision to see the path which leads to a bright tomorrow, both with the enthusiasm and stamina it takes to get the job done."

The Committee on Masonic Education encouraged all Lodges to take advantage of the educational resources on hand at Grand Lodge, particularly the Wardens Leadership Program. It is designed to improve the quality of leadership and performance inside our Lodges. We believe this to be the greatest resource for the FUTURE of Freemasonry in Kentucky. It will keep the Fraternity united and not divided. Work hard to improve your Lodge opening, degree work and closing. New Candidates will be impressed with the work if it is performed proficiently. The Candidate's first impression will be the lasting one."

MAINE

187th Annual Communication

Portland, Maine, May, 2006

M.W. Bro. Claire V. Tusch, Grand Master, reflecting on his two-year term in office, remarked, "I offered the theme of Unity, Community and Family as a lightning rod on which Maine Masons could focus. I am firmly convinced that only when our entire Masonic family,

Blue Lodges, York Rite, Scottish Rite, Shrine Centers, youth groups and all others work together toward the common goal of the revitalization of Freemasonry in Maine will we see optimal success. Listen to the prophetic words of Henry Wadsworth Longfellow who could have been writing about us when he wrote, "All your strength is in your union, all your danger is in discord." We as leaders must be willing to sacrifice our egos for the benefit of the Craft and surrender personal ambition for the sake of the future of Freemasonry. I believe there is a growing and powerful awareness that this is exactly what is necessary and that a powerful convergence of effort is currently taking place. We are beginning to see the results of our labors. The time for co-operative action is now."

The Chairman of the Child Identification Program, R. W. Bro. Hollis G. Dixon, reported that to date, more than 24,000 children have been processed since its inception in Maine. DNA samples are being added to fingerprinting and videotaping as a means of identification. A brochure has been added to the program and given to each child to take home as part of their package of material. This brochure has also been placed in many offices and public places so people may read about the program and learn about Masonry CHIP has become the signature program for Masons across the country. May 20th to 27th has been declared National Masonic CHIP Week, when all jurisdictions are asked to hold a CHIP event.

Another example of Masonic outreach is Operation Keep Me Warm. This is a unique winterization initiative to assist low income households and seniors in the face of higher fuel costs. The program is a first of its kind partnership between the Governor's Office of Energy Independence and Security and the private sector that uses volunteer teams to install simple energy conservation measures. Grand Lodge now sponsors this program. It provides an opportunity for each member of our Masonic Family to reach out to those in our communities who are truly in need and who so often fall between the cracks.

The Committee on the Condition of the Fraternity rounded out their Report on a positive note, addressing the ills that currently exist in the Jurisdiction. "In the final analysis, the Condition of the Fraternity is fair. In the hospital that is a term used when the patient has been wheeled out of surgery into the ICU. It is too soon to tell if the patient will survive or not. However, there have been interventions to prevent termination of life. There will be more procedures over the next few years to further correct the damage. The disease was not quick in forming. Neither will the solution be quick. We must NOT endeavor for a quick fix. I have seen far too many doctors succumb to that method with terminal results for the patient. We see the disorder. We know what is needed. The Fraternity will survive. Our society cannot afford for it to fail. Nor can we."

MANITOBA

131st Annual Communication

Winnipeg, Manitoba. June 2006

M. W. Bro. Brian J. Baillie, newly installed Grand Master, announced, "To my elected Right Worshipful Officers and District Deputies – look well to your duties. The Brethren of this Jurisdiction have not chosen you lightly. We have an enjoyable and productive year ahead of us and we are all going to have a lot of fun. If I was following a theme for the year it would be, "back to basics." As I am now once more semi retired I would welcome Lodges that will host joint meetings when requesting a Grand Master's visit. This concept has met with considerable success in other jurisdictions. It not only brings out more Brethren, but fosters closer relationships and allows the Grand Master to present some Masonic Education, which at the present time there is not enough of in our Jurisdiction. Time management issues may preclude a singular visit, so I ask Worshipful Masters to take this into consideration when planning."

The Grand Master announced a trip to Thompson to participate in the 50th Anniversary of the founding of the city along with Brethren of Mystery Lodge No. 174, the Northern

most Lodge in Manitoba. Thompson, Flin Flon and The Pas all lie above the 53rd Parallel and are administered by a representative of the Grand Master.

The Finance and Administration Chairman reported that the committee struggles with the financial implications of declining membership. A larger than forecast loss, double that anticipated, has resulted in deficit of \$5000.00 for 2005. The chairman qualified the situation by revealing that much of the problem is caused by a number of Lodges going into darkness. They are reported as a loss in membership until they take steps to affiliate with another Lodge. The implications for future are significant, as there was a large increase in the per capita (\$7) last year and a commitment not to raise it again this year. The surplus forecast for 2006 will not be realized. Many Grand Lodge expenses are fixed costs. The committee is determined to reduce expenses wherever possible and have adjusted the 2007 budget accordingly. The solution is to turn the membership trend around and until that time the committee will continue to be the bearer of ugly news.

The Benevolence Committee paid tribute to all volunteer Masons Cancer Drivers who drive cancer patients to and from treatment centers. During 2005 Cancer Care Drivers made 14,194 trips transporting 488 patients to and from various hospitals, a remarkable feat considering the fleet consists of 4 minivans. Their efforts were recognized at a banquet held by the Canadian Cancer Society, who was presented with a cheque from Grand Lodge in the amount of \$25,000 for the purchase of a new van.

A presentation of the "Mom & Kids I.D." Program, which the Grand Master urged all the Brethren to support, was made to the Chiefs' of Police of Manitoba. Attendees at the presentation suggested that the committee find a way to utilize CD Disks to accommodate newer computers. Grand Lodge has undertaken this task and has developed a system which utilizes "Business Card" CD's as they are small enough to be portable. The Special Projects Committee has recommended designating \$5000.00 to this project to update laptops to external CD drives and 3 inch CD's.

The Grand Archivist presented his first Report to Grand Lodge. This Office was created to collect information about the institution's history, organization, function and structure and thus constitutes the official memory of the Grand Lodge of Manitoba. It is felt that the selection process for this office should be similar to that of Grand Secretary or Grand Librarian, where a selection committee finds the best qualified person for the position, who, once ratified by Grand Lodge, would serve at the pleasure of the Board. The job description, wording for the Installation Ceremony and the issue of the Jewel and Apron, are being developed and will be brought to the Board and the Custodians of the Work when complete.

MINNESOTA

152nd Annual Communication

St. Louis Park, Minn. April 2005

The Grand Master, M.W. Bro. Gerald E. Rhoads, challenged the membership in the Jurisdiction to change the course of Minnesota Masonry by saying, "Yes We Can." He put these words into action by developing a program called "Fall Membership Festivals," designed as a means for Lodges to invite non-Masons to a first class breakfast so they could become acquainted with Freemasonry. The event was held in all of the 6 Grand Lodge Areas. Principal Officers and members were asked to escort a non-Mason to the occasion. The guests were informed that the reason they were present was that one of our members thought highly enough of them to be invited. They were told that our Brother thinks they would benefit from membership in the greatest Fraternity in the world. The experience was publicized through various means, including the Minnesota Mason. The effort yielded excellent participation, particularly in Metro areas. Benefits to the Lodges include effective publicity and membership opportunities. It was recommended Grand Lodge continue to sponsor the event.

The Grand Lodge Education Officer announced that the Speaker's Bureau has been set up and has gathered together a group of knowledgeable Masons who are willing to travel to Lodges and speak on a variety of subjects. All members of the Bureau are volunteers and Lodges were urged to invite them to speak on an educational program or at a Masonic function.

The Annual Report of Minnesota DeMolay stressed the importance of offering a safe and rewarding environment for youth. In this age of drugs, school violence and numerous other problems facing young people, organizations such as DeMolay are needed as never before. Membership must always be at the forefront as a young man can only be a member for a few years, so we must continue to replenish our ranks.

The Grand Lodge "Kissed Report" has been an unbelievable success. It has turned into a statewide effort to help promote the matter of child abduction awareness. What has also been accomplished is a renewed public awareness of what Masonry is dedicated to preserve. This service, within our communities and at public events, has revitalized our public image and repeats the message, "Masons Care About Kids." The sole purpose is to protect children, but we have been the beneficiaries of the gratitude of parents and the respect of our citizenry. Many new Masons have joined our ranks because of this. A very nice side effect.

The bond of friendship existing between the Grand Lodge of Minnesota and the Grand Lodge of Manitoba was expressed in a tribute to the Canadian Flag by M. W. Bro. Rhoads. "To Freemasons, the red symbolizes the dauntless courage of our forefathers, which we emulate; the white, that blameless purity of life and action to which we aspire; and the points, the eleven knightly virtues, of which patriotism is the greatest, and to which we are dedicated." In attendance were M. W. Bro. Donald W. Beattie, Grand Master, Manitoba and R. W. Bro. Brian J. Baillie, Senior Grand Warden, Manitoba, both of whom were declared honorary members of the Grand Lodge of Minnesota. They were invited to the East to receive their honorary membership certificates from the Grand Master.

MONTANA

139th Annual Communication

Bozeman, Montana, June, 2005

The Grand Master, M.W. Bro. David L. Prewett began his address with a quote from Theodore Roosevelt, "In any moment of decision the best thing you can do is the right thing, the next best thing is the wrong thing, and the worst thing you can do is nothing." "I am pleased to report that this year the Grand Lodge did many things that were the right thing to do." "It has been an interesting journey these past few years to see the shifts in Montana Masonry. I have seen a progressive resurgence in Masonry and a renewed interest in the ideals and principles it has to offer. I have witnessed brethren slowly returning to their Lodges and a new enthusiasm emerging. I have seen Lodges all over the State welcome new candidates and labour being resumed in all three degrees. I am proud to report that Masonry is alive and well and moving ahead in Montana."

The Grand Master also stated that the majority of Lodges are thriving and average member age has decreased. With the Initiation of younger men this trend will speed up. "However," he cautioned, "the problem still exists in the lack of mentoring experience and Officer training of this next generation of Masonic leaders. It will be a disservice to new members to rush them to the East. Grand Lodge has developed several resources and training opportunities for Lodge Officers which has proved to be beneficial. All Lodges are strongly encouraged to invest more time and energy into the training of their Officers and leaders."

M. W. Bro. Prewett referred to Grand Lodge's five-year plan for Masonry in Montana and the importance of its comprehensive program to maintain and build membership. The theme is 'Membership by Design, Not by Accident. Quality Membership is Job One.' "It is designed to not only build membership, but also Masonry in the creation of a positive image

in the community by promoting awareness of our public and charitable activities. This program provides Montana Masons with a method and information for talking to interested parties about Masonry and to share it with family and friends. This involves getting new members, keeping current ones and encouraging older ones to return."

"Many Lodges have been willing to burden themselves with the expense of remodeling their premises to improve their overall appearance. Our buildings are the first impression the community has of our Craft and they should always reflect a positive image."

"Lodges who successfully implement and manage a yearly program promoting Lodge activities, brotherhood, charitable work and involvement in the community are recognized under the Master Builder Program as Best Lodge in Montana and in second and third place as Builder Lodges."

"Another goal was to get a State Masonic License Plate. These are now available to purchase and the income from this goes into a foundation for public charity."

NETHERLANDS

Annual Communication

The Hague, June, 2006

The Grand Master, Diederik van Rossum, reflecting on the message of his previous Address in 2005, remarked that the initiatives advanced at that time, to strengthen the inner capability of the Grand Lodge of the Netherlands, have produced positive results. Membership figures show a modest, but positive increase. This is the first time in 25 years this has occurred. Total membership now stands at 5,629 in the Netherlands and 6,150 when factoring in Lodges in Suriname, Netherlands, Antilles, Aruba, South Africa and Zimbabwe. This bodes well for the Craft and gives additional reason to celebrate this special year, 2006, as the 250th Anniversary of Freemasonry in Holland. Employing the expression, "Where ego is master, you reach disaster faster," the Grand Master encouraged all Districts and Lodges to set clear, specific goals and stay on target. Work together, heedful of the needs of others and place the good of the Craft above personal considerations.

The Financial Report provided additional good news, showing a surplus of 4,000 Euros due to careful management of the Grand Lodge Budget. The first Worshipful Master of Erasmus Lodge No. 297, Bangkok, Thailand was introduced as a special guest to the Grand Lodge Convocation. This Lodge was consecrated under the Grand Lodge of the Netherlands in January, 2006, and is operating in good order.

NEVADA

141st Annual Communication

Mesquite, Nevada, November, 2005

The Grand Master, M.W. Bro. Michael F. Lintner, commenting on the State of the Craft observed, "My Brothers, the condition of Masonry in Nevada is such that it runs a complete gamut of possibilities. Some Lodges are thriving and happy. I'm not merely commenting on their efforts to overcome their dwindling membership. The Lodges I have in mind are very active in their community and attract return repeat visitors. Some are suffering from poor attendance, low self esteem, a lack of Masonic Education and poor degree work. This is a reflection of lack of proper planning and leadership. It is my duty to make or legislate recommendations and policies expedient for the welfare of the Craft. I exhort all Wardens and Deacons. Start planning your year now, not when you are installed. You've got to start running your Lodge like a business. Make your degree work and your meetings interesting and informative. Conduct your degree work properly and with pride. My Brothers, I'm not going to stand here and tell you that Masonry in Nevada is alive and well, because it isn't. But if history tells us anything it is that there is a cycle to such things. The State of Nevada has been experiencing years of amazing growth. It stands to reason that a higher visibility

in our communities will excite some interest among our new arrivals to the State. With proper preparation you can be ready for the better days ahead."

The Grand Orator Ross A. Frazier, analyzing the membership issue, remarked, "To those who say the sky is falling, I respond that declining membership is not limited to Freemasons, but reflects a general decline in all service, professional and fraternal organizations. It is not an exclusive Masonic problem. But we must not, like other organizations, abandon our historic beliefs, traditions and practices. Many of the societal trends of the recent past have been rejected and the pendulum is swinging back to reflect the culture and values which made us great. The key is knowledge. Ritual, degree work, lectures and Masonic history must be taught by those who understand and know what they are saying. Knowledge, passed on to another Brother, will give you another teacher. If Masonry once again becomes a sought-after goal, properly taught to our initiates, our membership issue will to a large extent, resolve itself."

The Nevada Masonic Child Identification Program – CHIP – begun by Reno Lodge No. 13, has processed more than 14,500 children through the identification process since 2001. Parents, teachers, sponsors and police all appreciate the work being done in this field. Possibly no other community program has more successfully portrayed Masonry in such a positive light. Nevada has also expanded the ID program for the benefit of seniors suffering from Alzheimer's disease.

The Grand Lodge Office this year reported increased applications for the Masonic License Plate and reminded all Brethren that they must have Grand Lodge verify that they are a member in good standing before that Department of Motor Vehicles will issue the plates. The application fee is 20 Dollars, of which 15 goes to the Grand Lodge Charitable Fund and the balance for administration.

NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR

9th Annual Communication

St. John's, Nfld. October 2006

M.W. Bro. Donald W. Newell, Grand Master, in his comments on the Condition of the Craft, stressed the importance of the Masonic Education Program, saying, "We have to continue our interest in revitalizing and promoting more Masonic Education, both for our members and the community at large. Education and learning are the lifelines in keeping our members interested and active. We have to eliminate apathy and disinterest and be willing to accept the challenge of change."

The Grand Master also addressed the issue of Membership. "Many Lodges have endeavored to increase their numbers to keep pace with the losses caused by demits, resignations and losses through advanced age. We must continue to improve our communications with our constituent Lodges by any means available. Often our correspondence does not receive the attention it deserves. It is my firm opinion that our District Deputy Grand Masters should meet at least twice a year with our Grand Master, Deputy and Grand Secretary to ensure continuity of effort, direction and generally in dealing with management, membership and leadership issues."

The Committee of Benevolence reported that their efforts were concentrated on providing assistance to needy Widows and Brethren, not only on a monthly basis, but also in providing Christmas gratuities.

The Grand Master advised the following Amendment to the Grand Lodge Constitution Article 315, permitting applicants to apply at the age of 19 years instead of the former 21 years. The rationale submitted was as follows:

1. At the age of 19 one can serve one's country in the armed forces.
2. One can vote for the leaders of our municipalities, provinces and nation.
3. One is legally considered to be of the age of the majority.

The Motion was carried as presented.

NEW HAMPSHIRE
217th Annual Communication
Manchester, New Hampshire, May, 2006

Summarizing ‘The State of The Craft,’ M.W. Bro. David J. Lamprey Jr., Grand Master, commented, “I am happy to say that I can see the results of our programs, such as the Masters Classes, designed to improve the skills of our Officers, the Community Builders Award, used by Lodges to recognize people that are not Masons for their contributions to the community, the use of District Education Officers to do programs in the Lodges, the Lodges being more visible by participating in local events and improvements in Lodge work based on what they have learned at the Lodges of Instruction. I have also observed many Lodges are having more candidates and are very busy with degree work.”

The Grand Historian, R.W. Bro. Harold E. Fernald Jr., has developed an innovative way of presenting Masonic History and Education by combining both in ‘Living History’ lectures narrating the accomplishments of Masons from New Hampshire who fought at the Battle of Gettysburg. The Brethren taking the part of these famous historical figures appeared in full Civil War Regalia. This type of presentation has been very well received and has been performed at 19 functions during the year.

The Committee on New Lodges recommended that the Grand Master approve a request for Dispensation to form a Special Lodge to be called ‘General Court Lodge No. 1784.’ The Lodge would accept as members only Master Masons who are, or were, Members of the New Hampshire House of Representatives or Senate. The Lodge Brethren must belong to a Constituent Lodge recognized by the Grand Lodge of New Hampshire. They will have the right to form teams only to exemplify Degrees in Constituent Lodges when invited to do so.

The Grand Secretary reported that membership gains were offset by Demits and Suspensions, which, had they not occurred, would have held the percentage of change to almost zero.

NEW MEXICO
129th Annual Communication
Farmington, New Mexico, March, 2006

In his Address, the Grand Master, M.W. Bro. G. Wayne Morrison, praised the valiant efforts of many Lodges in attempting to reach the goal of increasing Master Masons by ten percent, based on Lodge membership numbers. More Master Masons were raised than were lost due to suspensions, but less than were lost to deaths. “I am sure many of you will meet this goal later this year as the ball gets rolling. Once started, we find it easier than we thought to get the good new men we need in our Lodges. We must learn how to solve the numbers issue. There are plenty of good men in our communities, but we need to offer them something to attract their interest. I am positive that the fast track is through the public schools, but that will probably take ten years. We cannot continue to do nothing. Membership issues will continue to be symptomatic of our problems and at the forefront of work in our Lodges. The real issue is our significance in our communities and our State and Nation. I see the Masonic Student Assistance program as part of that philanthropy and this is where we must direct more effort. This is the first year a Membership Committee has been established by this Grand Jurisdiction and given the challenge, this is most appropriate and timely.”

The Chairman of DeMolay reinforced the Grand Master’s comments stating, “The time of sitting on the sidelines is over. We need to act now. We need to ensure not only the well being of our youth, but the future of our Fraternity. The boys we get to join DeMolay will play a large part in helping us grow in the coming years. There has been resurgence in these youth programs. We must consider how modern American society may be putting increasing

pressure on individuals, especially teenagers. We must address this and the broader issues in American society, the management of a trend towards violence. The teachings of DeMolay and the oldest Fraternity in the World can lessen this alarming trend."

For the first time, a Membership Committee was established for this Grand Jurisdiction to address declining membership numbers. While specific results could not be reported during this inaugural year it is important to recognize the first step of focusing on this issue in a formal way. The committee recognizes the huge challenge to our Fraternity to address the correct balance between quantity and quality and the issue of retention. A recommendation was made to draft a formal policy to address membership issues.

NEW ZEALAND

116th Annual Communication

Wellington, New Zealand, June, 2006

Commenting on the State of the Craft, M.W. Bro. David W. Mace, Grand Master, reported, "Membership continues to be on the forefront of many of our initiatives. I am pleased to see an increase in our membership in the younger age group of our Craft. I have also been encouraged where Lodges have come together to combine their strengths and not struggle on with a weak Lodge. Education, mentoring and training is vital to the quality of our organization."

The Board of General Purposes President, R.W. Bro. Stan Barker, expanded on this subject in his Report stating, "In many Lodges, Offices are being filled by Master Masons, in some cases all positions below that of Worshipful Master. No doubt these Lodges have achieved a balance between practicing Freemasonry and providing fun and fellowship. Lodges that have not quite got to that point might want to avail themselves of the various programs provided by their Districts. An ageing population means that a decline in the numbers in the older age group is inevitable. Our statistics show we have a positive growth rate in members under the age of 50, offset by a decline in the 50-60 year old age bracket. If members in this age group are not attending regularly, that is the first sign that they are not enjoying their Freemasonry as much as they used to."

Lodges should not wait for a resignation before asking why. Each individual, not just the Lodge, needs to take responsibility for membership. To maintain our numbers, a Lodge must initiate 3 new members every year and this should be the minimum target in Lodge Plans. Inaction is no longer an option. This is a trend we must try and reverse over the next 12 months that we may continue to rejuvenate Lodges through increased membership."

NOVA SCOTIA

141st Annual Communication

Truro, Nova Scotia, June, 2006

In the Report of the Committee on the Condition of the Order, M.W. Bro. Lawrin C. Armstrong, Chairman, began, "In any organization worth belonging to, the membership must go through a self-examination from time to time to discover and correct any problems which may do serious or irreparable damage. What we have to report is basically a number of good news/bad news observations. Good news observations indicate that Lodges with a District Association were more successful than those without.

Lodges that make visitations to other Lodges and receive visitations in return are more likely to be better attended, more active and appear to enjoy more growth. Visitation is the heart of our Fraternity. Masonic Education is of great importance and the idea of some Lodges having different members prepare a lecture on some aspect of the Fraternity for presentation each month is one we would highlight. One great note of enthusiasm is the widespread support for the Scholarship Program, which has contributed over \$1,000,000 towards post-secondary education since it started. Our visible support of other programs

such as Scouting, Big Brothers/Big Sisters and the Halifax/Dartmouth Masonic Learning Centre for Children is something we have much to be proud of.

Bad news observations reveal Lodges struggling with declining membership, the resulting financial difficulties, or by a lack of participation of the Brethren on their active registration list. Some District Deputy Grand Master's reports gave an excellent overview of their Lodges activities while others lacked substance. Should we once again consider the possibility of the election of District Deputy Grand Masters rather than the present rotational system? Perhaps if members had to stand for election in each District, a process would evolve of putting the right Brother into this very important position? Standing for election would signify his willingness to make an honest effort to do what is required of him. We recommend that all members of our Grand Lodge take a serious look at where Masonry in Nova Scotia has been, is presently and where they wish to see it in the future. Some may feel we have been too critical, but we cannot bury our head in the sand at the first sign of trouble. Freemasonry in Nova Scotia is alive and while struggling with decreasing membership and participation, overall, it continues to be a major influence in the lives of good men. We must keep working with the thought in mind that Masonry has survived for centuries, through good times and bad, still prevails and will continue to do so far into the future."

The Grand Master, M.W. Bro. Harold Simeon Hardy, in his Address, stressed the importance of inspired leadership to the incoming District Deputy Grand Masters in saying, "Take due notice of the charge that will be given to you this afternoon by the Installing Officer. Improve on your talents that you will not let them diminish the interest in what should be the highlight of your year. We must all accept the responsibilities of our offices. I feel it is time to get back to reality and live and work with the great legacy our forefathers left for us."

OHIO

196th Annual Communication

Columbus, Ohio, October, 2005

M.W. Bro. James Williamson, in presenting positive and constructive solutions to the challenges facing Freemasonry in the State of Ohio, outlined the means by which Lodges could set their own personal goals to improve all aspects of the Craft requiring their consideration. The Plan is called, "One Moment in Time." Lodges addressed problems and looked for solutions in the following areas: Membership Development – Membership Retention – Public Relations – Community Service – Reduction of Suspensions for Non Payment of Dues and Goal Setting. Each Lodge established goals based upon their individual needs. Diamond and Platinum Awards were presented to Lodges in each District which met or exceeded their goals. Silver Accomplishment Awards were presented to those Lodges having no Suspension. 130 Lodges were recognized for their efforts in all these areas.

Commenting on the success of the program, M.W. Bro. Williamson stated, "I firmly believe the Fraternity is important to our country and to society. We are in a changing world. The question is, 'What is Masonry today?' It is my golden desire to see Freemasonry emerge from the shadows of its secret image by introducing public relations programs which would bring forth community recognition. Take this 'One Moment in Time' to prove that you can be more than you thought you could be. Feel that your finest day is yet to come, that this year has given you a new enthusiasm, a new momentum and a new hope for the Fraternity. One thing I do know, it is time to stop living in the memories of yesterday and start living the dreams of tomorrow."

PENNSYLVANIA

Annual Communication

Hershey, Pennsylvania, December, 2005

R.W. Grand Master William Slater II, in his closing remarks, said, "Pennsylvania Freemasonry has never been stronger. The Grand Lodge program – 'Man to Mason-One Day Adventure' – sparked a new commitment to reach out to good men and 'Share the Light.' Because of your efforts, we gained thousands of new members and leaders. It was the most successful membership initiative program implemented by Grand Lodge in 42 years and it showed that there are many men out there who still want to be Masons. Last year I asked you to make a list of men you thought worthy of becoming Masons. This year I am asking you to zero in and focus on one man whom you feel is a worthy candidate: insurance man, cleaner, mechanic, accountant, postman or doctor. Open up to that one man. Share the light of Freemasonry with and give him an *ASK* brochure. I'll bet the majority of you come back with a signed petition."

The Grand Master stated that several Brethren would be recognized for their efforts in signing 10 or more petitions during the Man to Mason Program by being presented with the 'Sharing the Light' Apron. The importance of the initiative was emphasized by the fact that in spite of its' success, there was still a slight net loss in membership. The Grand Master concluded, "If we truly want to strengthen our Fraternity for tomorrow, we must start with the youth of today. We must teach them the Masonic principles that will guide their lives and make young men want to become Masons as soon as they are eligible."

The incoming Grand Master, R.W. Bro. Ronald A. Aungst, underscored the importance of this by saying, "I have appointed a Membership Maintenance Committee to focus our efforts on enhancing the value of membership and ensuring that we meet the needs of our Brethren. We cannot accomplish this without a grassroots effort on the part of all our individual members. Success begins and ends with US!"

The Pennsylvania Masonic Foundation for Children's mission of reducing drug, alcohol abuse and violence through education and intervention continued to grow through 2005. The major programs supported by the Foundation include D.A.R.E. (Drug Abuse Resistance Education.) Other issues addressed by these programs are conflict resolution skills and emotional issues faced by adolescents. The name now reflects the universal mission of helping children become safe, vice-free, well-adjusted, upstanding adults.

The Committee on Fraternal Relations received a notification from the United Grand Lodge of England relative to the formation of a 'Regular Grand Lodge of England.' This Grand Lodge is an irregular body and claims to have been formed as a result of a schism within the United Grand Lodge of England. This allegation is totally unfounded. Extreme caution should be observed by any of our Brethren visiting a Lodge in England so as not to come into contact with anyone claiming to be a member of the 'Regular Grand Lodge of England.' Only the United Grand Lodge of England is recognized by the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania.

PHILIPPINES

89th Annual Communication

Tagaytay City, Philippines, April, 2005

The Installation of M.W. Bro. Jun Ebdane as Grand Master was preceded by an introduction and address by Her Excellency, President Gloria Macapagal-Arroyo of the Republic of the Philippines. Reflecting on her grandfather's membership in the Craft she said, "Trustworthiness is so important and I'm glad this is a trait of Freemasons. The highest standards of individual character and social conduct is the way of human growth and brotherhood. We need such a principle in governance and nation-building." In his Inaugural Address, M.W. Bro. Ebdane chose the theme, "Revisiting the Past for the Future," and stressed the importance of continuity in continuing programs began by his predecessors as

long as they improve Grand Lodge for the common good of the Brethren . “ It rests upon my shoulders,” he continued “ to jumpstart the five-year development program of our Grand Lodge. With this road map we hope to see a more focused, mission-oriented Grand Lodge that is committed to the well-being of the Craft and its members, addressing current concerns in membership, leadership, finance, and education.”

“ A major overhaul of the Grand Lodge building and the computer and administrative systems has taken place and improvements continue, “ reported the Past Grand Master, M.W. Bro. Roberto Q. Pagotan,” and we have substantially accomplished the missions set out in our Trestle Board. We have improved the society’s understanding of Masonry, maximized Masonic understanding among our brethren and enhanced the Masonic contribution to the environmental concern and understanding.”

The Report of the Board of General Purposes announced the establishment of the Institute of Masonic Education. A Senior Grand Lecturer was appointed Director, and a minimum three-year term was recommended. All projected D.D.G.M.s and Grand Lodge Officers must undergo this course to qualify them for their appointment. A Corps of Lecturers will be established from whose ranks will come authorized Lodge Lecturers conversant in the delivery of all ritual and explanation of the symbols and veiled allegory contained within.

The Report of the Committee on Revision of the Constitution rejected a motion to adopt the scheme of rotation. It stated, “ The elective Officers of the Grand Lodge should be elected based on their individual qualifications, not on the geographical regions they come from or represent.” The Grand Secretary reported that although it is difficult to verify total accuracy due to incomplete membership records in some areas, a net gain of 291 Master Masons was indicated.

The Grand Guild of Past Masters announced a substantial increase in assistance given to Past Masters and their families in times of need to assist with hospitalization costs or other expenses. Effective May 1, 2005, death and hospital benefits were increased to P 12,000.00 and P 7,000.00 respectively. The Grand Guild President reported, “ This is a laudable program, leading our Fraternity in showing Brotherly Love, Relief and Truth.”

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

*131st Annual Communication
Brackley, P.E.I., June, 2006*

The Grand Master, M.W. Bro. David G. Hooper, reviewed the progress of the Craft in P.E.I. by stating, “ During the year, I have tried in some small measure to steer a course that was guided by Ritual, Relief and Refreshment. Ritual we use to teach and discipline ourselves. Relief or benevolence we use to aid and assist those in need and Refreshment to cement the bonds of Brotherhood. A project was developed to try and interweave these three things. On P.E.I. this year we set out to improve the Ritual work of all 16 Constituent Lodges, all of which were visited by the Grand Master. Each Lodge was judged on their opening and closing. Votes were cast in each category by brothers who had attended all visitations. At each visitation the Brethren present were also encouraged to make a contribution to Benevolence. Of the money collected, half was for the winning Lodges and half for the Grand Lodge Benevolent Fund. The result was a sizeable contribution to the Benevolent Fund and a great improvement in the Ritual work in the jurisdiction.” M.W. Bro. Hooper summarized, “ everyone made an effort and that was the point of the exercise. If we continue to make an effort Masonry is not in danger of fading away.” In his Annual Report, the Grand Historian, R.W. Bro. George Doughart, cited this and the steady emphasis on Masonic Education as noteworthy initiatives of the Grand Master. He also added that the Masons of P.E.I. have a strong legacy of support for Brethren who have served in the Canadian Armed Forces in wartime as well as peace.

During 2005, "The Year of the Veteran", several Constituent Lodges held meaningful programs to honour their veterans and those Brethren in active service. The Board of General Purposes reported receiving a letter from the Grand Lodge of India expressing their appreciation to Masons of P.E.I. who made a generous contribution to the Tsunami Relief Fund.

The Grand Secretary, R.W. Bro. Rowan B. Casely, included in his report statistical information indicating that attendance levels at the Grand Master's Visitation have been holding steady. He added that the Grand Master allowed all members of a Lodge to be counted for all Lodges in which they are members. There are Masons who support more than one Lodge on a regular basis and this allows them to stand up and be counted.

QUEBEC

135th Annual Communication

Montreal, Quebec, May, 2005

M.W. Bro. John E. Leide, Grand Master, addressing the assembly, stressed the importance of Masonic Education. "This year," he began, "I have continued my theme of Masonic Science, the daily advancement of Masonic Knowledge. I am pleased that a number of Lodges have begun to include instructional offerings as part of their meetings. On April 16, 2005, Charity Lodge exemplified the workings of an 18th Century Lodge at Karnak, to the edification of 225 brethren present. The event also raised \$2,800 to be divided equally between the Shrine Hospital and the Missing Children's Network CHIP program. The amount was augmented by the Masonic Foundation of Quebec so that a donation of \$2,000 could be made to each."

The Report of the Grand Secretary was presented showing a total membership of 4,671 in 82 Lodges, a decline of 4%, still lower than the standing average of recent years in North America. There are however, some encouraging improvements in these bleak looking numbers. Initiations are at 2.9% of membership, the highest of the last three years. When the deceased are removed from the statistics, the change becomes 0.7% instead of 4%. Average Lodge attendance has increased by 5.3% over last year, hopefully indicating a period of increased interest in Masonry that will translate into new membership.

The Grand Master then called on M.W. Bro. Richard Fletcher, P.G.M. of Vermont and Executive Secretary of the Masonic Association of America, who said that the Grand Secretary's Report could have been read in any Jurisdiction in North America. He cited a quote regarding organizations in decline. "One thing tells me a company is in trouble when they tell me how good things were in the past. That was then. This is now. When memories exceed dreams, the end is near."

"Each initiative undertaken to increase membership such as one-day classes, shortened proficiency tests, lowered age requirement, Public Relations and advertising agencies, has hinted at success. But what of Demits and Suspensions? This has not been satisfactorily addressed. Freemasonry is in our hands. We can remedy this problem. That is why we are developing programs that are Lodge centered and directed." In closing, M.W. Bro. Fletcher noted that Quebec is the first Canadian Jurisdiction to become a member of M.S.A.

As a means to recognize Lodges successful in their efforts to increase membership, the Grand Master instituted an Annual Award of Achievement. Bronze Certificates recognize a one-year increase. Silver Certificates recognize two consecutive years, and for the first time, a Gold Certificate for those boosting their numbers for three. This year one third of the Lodges qualified for recognition. The Report of the Maintenance of the Archives of the Grand Lodge of Quebec, submitted by W. Bro. Jacques G. Ruellan, shows that in order to benefit from government support, the Grand Lodge of Quebec has become a member of Reseau des archives du Quebec, (RAQ), permitting Grand Lodge access to Federal, Provincial and Municipal Grant programs reserved for institutions that house archives.

SASKATCHEWAN
100th Annual Communication
Prince Albert, Saskatchewan, June, 2006

Adopting the theme, "The Road to Success is Always Under Construction," M.W. Bro. Wilmer Pizzey, newly installed Grand Master, presented his view of the 101st year of Saskatchewan Freemasonry. "We cannot stand blindly by and expect success to find us. Our continued success will only be realized through our own efforts and endeavours. This road has been under construction in Saskatchewan for 100 years and will continue for the next 100 years plus. During my term, I also wish to see public awareness as a partner in our future. Therefore, during the forthcoming year, Masons are granted without dispensation, the right to wear Masonic regalia and service medals when appearing in civil ceremonies such as Remembrance Day, Veteran Days and Masonic Church parades. Brethren, we live in a media entrenched world. We need to promote and increase our visibility within our Jurisdiction and the proper public use of Masonic regalia is one of those methods, especially during the continuation of our 2006 Masonic Centennial Celebrations."

Past Grand Master, M.W. Bro. William Fitzsimmons, concluded his Address with a recommendation to allow the Lodges to hold Information Nights, to open their doors to the public and let them see inside the Lodge Room, view the Jewels and Aprons and let them know how proud we are of our history and the good we do in our communities in terms of educational bursaries, the Masonic Youth Leadership Camp and charitable works. Hosting Information Nights may result in applications from potential candidates. The Communications and Public Relations Committee noted that an interview would be forthcoming with Shaw Community Access television regarding Saskatchewan Freemasonry and its celebration of 100 years as a Jurisdiction. Public awareness and media promotion is becoming a key component of Long Range Planning.

All Lodges are being encouraged to develop a Mentorship and Education Program to retain the interest of all new members after they have received the Master Mason degree. The Lodge Development and Renewal Committee reported an increase in almost every District, particularly in urban centres. Economic conditions and population shifts in rural areas, where there are no incentives for young men to stay, has resulted in decisions to amalgamate in order to keep the Lodge and its history alive. The Board of General Purposes is looking into a method of establishing a monthly reporting of membership information by Lodges which could eliminate the current system of Semi-Annual Returns.

The Committee on Fraternal Relations advised that Grand Lodges that do not meet the standards for recognition are being formed at an alarming rate. The Regular Grand Lodge of England is creating Lodges in many parts of South America. There is a movement called the United Grand Lodge of America Accepted Freemasons also trying to gain a foothold. With interest in Masonry being brought on by recent books and movies, it appears numerous clandestine groups are trying to capitalize on the situation.

SCOTLAND
Regular Communication
Edinburgh, Scotland, June 2006

Most Worshipful Grand Master Mason, Sir Archibald D. Orr Ewing, began his Report saying, "It has been my desire that we enter a period of stability and consolidation after some of the disruptions and changes over the last few years. Debate on the issues that face us are healthy and necessary as we have to recognize that society is changing and that our place in society and how we perceive and promote ourselves has to be revised from time to time. It would be strange and undesirable if were all of the same opinion as to how best to promote the Craft for the future, but I would hope that we should all recognize that sometimes our opinion on a particular issue, no matter how genuinely held, may be a minority one, and for

the long term good of the Craft, we should accept the majority view and move on. Nothing is more dangerous for any organization than the continual raking over of old coals. I would hope that we could progress and promote the Craft with a united front. I am confident we can achieve this, as the revised structures we implemented three years ago seem to be working well."

The Grand Master continued, "I am also mindful that the Grand Lodge of Scotland is an International Organization, one of the oldest and most respected in the World and that almost 42% of our Lodges are located outside of Scotland. To show we are a working part of the International Masonic Community, we have visited Lodges in India, Sri Lanka, Kenya and Malawi. What was most impressive was the charitable work they do in respect of Tsunami relief. They are building homes in conjunction with Catholic, Muslim and Buddhist communities. It is a fine example of how Masons can reach across borders of race, religion and creed to assist the communities in which our Brethren live. The Scottish Craft in the Grand Lodge of the Middle East is flourishing. Several new Lodges have been formed over the last few years and the standard of work is high. They continue to operate in sometimes very trying and at times dangerous conditions and they deserve our gratitude and continuous support."

SOUTH CAROLINA

269 Annual Communication

Myrtle Beach, South Carolina, June, 2006

M.W. Bro. Ronald C. Mitchum, Grand Master, in assessing the State of the Craft in South Carolina, remarked, "My Brothers, Masonry in South Carolina is truly doing well and will continue to improve when all Brethren and Lodges work within the community to improve society. Our Jurisdiction still suffered a loss of membership, but this number is declining each year. The loss is mainly due to NPD's. We need to do a study to determine why they dropped out and what changes they would recommend to keep them in Masonry. If we can determine this, we have a starting point." To alleviate the problem of NPD's, the Grand Master recommended Lodges consider the Perpetual Life Membership Program and change their by-laws to accept the concept of 'pay-back' to your Lodge for the past contributions of these Brethren to the Craft. The Grand Master has also continued the tradition of writing letters of welcome and encouragement to all newly raised Master Masons. One hundred and sixty eight letters were mailed over the last year.

The Report of the Grand Secretary stated that one hundred and three Lodges were presented with Certificates of Achievement for reporting that no members had been dropped for NPD. This has a positive effect on the financial position of Grand Lodge and is one of the many constructive steps being taken to halt declining membership. The Report of the Masonic Service Association thanked all the Brethren for their generosity in contributing over \$30,000 to those communities on the Gulf Coast devastated by hurricanes this past summer. The South Carolina Masonic Research Society, responsible for recording the historical lineage of their State, has long pursued the belief that Lt. George Dixon, Commander of the Confederate State Ship 'Hunley,' the first submarine to be engaged in warfare and responsible for sinking the U.S.S. 'Housatonic' in Charleston harbor, was a Brother Mason. Confirmation of this was found in an entry in a Masonic Register in Charleston dated November 20, 1863, in the form of his signature. Also visiting was James McLintock, designer of the 'Hunley.' Presiding over the meeting was none other than Albert G. Mackey, author of the definitive Encyclopedia of Freemasonry.

SOUTH DAKOTA*131st Annual Communication**Rapid City, South Dakota, June, 2005*

In his Address to Grand Lodge, the Grand Master, M.W. Bro. William A. Coffield praised the results of the "Plus One" program designed to increase membership in all Lodges across the State. "Bring Yourself to Lodge-Plus One" was the theme. The Grand Master presented awards to all Lodges who achieved a gain in membership for the year 2004-2005. The goal of the program was to have a real increase for this year and to make a 500 person gain in the following and all subsequent years. In addition, the plan employed re-instating as many as possible from the ranks of demits and suspensions and to make Membership Committees a vital part of each Lodge. M.W. Bro. Coffield stressed that retaining members depends on making Lodge meetings relevant and inclusive to all age groups. He cited an article written by the Grand Orator entitled, "How do you recognize the expectations of different generations in your membership?" "Masonic Lodges were once the social centres of our community," he began. "The World has changed. We need to change our attitudes and activities and be relative in this high-speed informed era. Men in their 20's and 30's do not come to meetings designed by men in their 70's and 80's. Look for ways to incorporate new ideas and plan meaningful, exciting and involving activities. Stress the positive things your Lodge or members have done for your community. Attracting new members will always be a challenge with so much competition for our time in today's society, but the rewards are so fulfilling when we see our growth escalate. The tenets of Masonry will be maintained and the future of our Fraternity assured if we are willing to accept the changing environment presented to us by today's World. The enthusiasm of younger members can bring new vitality to our Masonic Family. Think about it. Do something about it."

The Grand Master then introduced R.W. Bro. Denny Robinson to present his findings on the National Child Identification Program or CHIP. A child disappears every 40 seconds in the U. S. Freemasons in the Eastern U.S. formulated the CHIP program whereby Lodges work locally with the police department, teachers and dentists to develop a comprehensive way of identifying these children. Fingerprints, DNA swabs, tooth impressions, digital imaging and photographs are collected and the information is given to the parents to keep in case their child is abducted. It costs \$2.00 to \$4.50 per kit for each child. In closing, R.W. Bro. Robinson stated, "I fully believe the need is there. We must find a way to fund this program. We have talked a lot about community service, involvement, visibility, bonding and good works. Think of the exposure we would get. Let us get it started. The money will come. For anything good the money will always follow."

VIRGINIA*227th Annual Communication**Virginia, November, 2005*

The Grand Master, M.W. Bro. John R. Quinley, in his opening address, said, "I have stated time and again that our success as a Fraternity must rely not just on our leadership, but also on our membership. The theme I adopted at my Installation, "Living Masonry Daily" and the programmers I have initiated have encouraged participation by everyone and not just a few. We must never lose sight that we are special men to whom much has been given, therefore much shall be required of us. To address the problem of financial health and membership, we must continue to take stock of who we are and where we are going. Masonry must not become so expensive as to become unattractive, but by the same token it must not be sold cheaply either. "Commenting on the State of the Craft, he continued, "An objective assessment would be that things are not all good, neither are they all bad. Our Revitalization Programmed, in seeking solutions to the membership problem, includes a Long Range Study Committee whose mandate asks the question, "Whom do we wish to

attract and how best to attract them?" The opportunities may be in our home, workplace or place of worship. Many of the things we believe secret are not and approaches can be made without violating our traditions."

"I also recommend that the Committee on Masonic Education continue to develop ways of providing training to potential Lodge Officers through the Internet, classroom and correspondence courses. The foundation of Freemasonry is based on our Ritual and its fullness on our education. We need both to exist as functional Masons."

The Grand Master praised the efforts of the Grand Lodge Masonic Relief Fund who has been set the task of raising a \$2,000,000 endowment to provide assistance to Lodges, Widows and Brethren in need. Since its inception in 2004, the fund has raised a total to-date of \$476,000.

In conclusion, M.W. Bro Quinley stated, "Having said these things, I am pleased to report that our Craft is strong. We have an opportunity to demonstrate our strengths to men of good character. We must continue to show the world who we say we are by *Living Freemasonry Daily.*"

WASHINGTON

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Wenatchee, Washington, June, 2005

Reporting on the State of the Craft, the Grand Master, M.W. Bro. Satoro Tashiro began, "I spent many hours and days on the theme of the year, for it represented to me what I truly believed was at the core of our continuing relevancy to our community and ourselves." "Change – The Key to the Future," was selected because it represented what I believe we must accept to survive as a Fraternity for the years to come. The year has seen petitions being read and Degrees conferred at an accelerated rate and I would suspect the membership numbers for this calendar year will support this observation. Despite the increased influx of Master Masons, many Lodges have consolidated and some have fallen victim to a changing society and a shifting population. But on a positive note I believe Masonry will evolve in the coming decades attuned to the needs of the 21st century. To this end I have been encouraging the formation of a new type of Lodge, formed around the Brethren having a common bond or interest, using the traditional Lodges as a springboard. One of these Lodges will have as its focus, bringing together Brethren who are Scottish in descent or interest. This could be the beginning of a new type of Lodge, which reminds us of our earlier history where Lodges were formed around professions or shared concerns."

The Public Relations Committee reported that a growing number of Lodges are becoming involved in their communities. Many have requested and received approval for the use of the Square and Compasses as they interact with the general public at fairs, etc. Such a display demonstrates our support of the youth and the public schools as well as reinforcing our basic tenets of relief of the distressed, our fraternalism and our strong moral values.

The Grand Secretary, R.W. Bro. David P. Owen, reported that current data tends to show a leveling in the decline of the membership and the net percentage of gains and losses is approaching zero. Commenting on the positive results of the Grand Master's theme, he said, "Change is not instant, but as we travel on the level of time we change the face of Masonry. Your message carries a renewed hope. If not us, then who? If not now, then when? "Kaizen" is the Japanese word for incremental change, a process used to change business over time. One advantage of this system is the reduced level of stress on people and systems. This year we all experienced this phenomenon. Through all this, we hold true to the tenets taught us throughout our travels. These words of Sun Tzu are appropriate. "Do not repeat the tactics that have gained you one victory, but let your methods be regulated by the infinite variety of circumstances."

**SUMMARY REPORTS OF THE
DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS 2006 – 2007**

Algoma District – 10 Lodges**R.W. Bro. Patrick Curran**

Masonry in Algoma District is, certainly holding it's own. In a region that is suffering massive job losses in every sector of it's economy, forcing some brethren to look for employment in other jurisdictions but retain a residence in this district.

Algoma District consists of ten lodges, six are located in the city of Thunder Bay, while four are spread over the rest of the district, requiring up to six hour drive to visit. At present time there is one lodge that is considering amalgamation but a group of enthusiastic Past Masters are trying to turn it around.

The promotion of the District Web Site continued in this year, encouraging the Masters of each lodge to submit write-ups, pictures and contact people to encourage individuals to show interest in our fraternity.

In the past year we had the pleasure of hosting numerous Grand Lodge Committees, giving the brethren a better understanding of the various programs offered by Grand Lodge and the Masonic Foundation.

In the spring of this year the brethren had the honour of hosting the Grand Master on his official visit to Algoma District. Along with numerous Grand Lodge officers present the Grand Master of Minnesota was in attendance.

Finally I would like to extend by heartfelt thanks to all the officers and brethren of the district for the warm welcome and courtesies extended to myself the District Secretary and the various Committees, and for nominating me for the office of District Deputy Grand Master.

Algoma East – 8 Lodges**R.W. Bro. Patrick W. O'Shaughnessy**

Algoma East District is comprised of eight lodges three lodges of which are located in the City of Sault Ste Marie and one each in the communities of Blind River, Thessalon, Elliot Lake, Chapleau and last but not least Wawa. It is with great pride that I report that there was an increase in membership into Masonry within Algoma East District again this year. A total of twenty four new members were initiated into Masonry along with five affiliations were received throughout the district. This is not universal throughout the district. The three lodges in Sault Ste Marie had the majority of the new growth with the out lining lodges averaging two to four new members.

The support that each and every lodge has displayed both during my official visits and special events has demonstrated the strength and support of the district. The official visits saw an average of fifty plus masons in attendance. Every lodge in the district has at least one function that gets them involved in the community there by promoting Masonry and widening our awareness in each community in the district. This is done in many ways by opening our lodges to community breakfasts, family days open to members and friends, annual charity golf scrambles. The majority of the lodges raise money to help cover expenses and give donations to charitable organizations and by providing bursary to the local high school graduated.

To start our year in Algoma East District a Grand Lodge Degree Team was put into place. The team consisted of Past Grand Lodge Officers from the district. We where asked to perform two initiations a Lorne Lodge No. 622. The degree team was made up of Eighteen Past District Deputy Grand Masters, Eight Grand Lodge Stewards and two Grand Lodge Standard Bearers, what a way to welcome two newly initiated members to Masonry. To end our year we again were asked by a Grand Lodge Degree Team from Temiskaming District if they could perform an initiation at Lorne Lodge No. 622, A total of Twenty two Past Grand Lodge Officers performed the Initiation which again was very well attended. This was a real eye opener fo the members of Lorne Lodge as attendance was lacking at time. I am

very honoured to report that the spark has been relight and masonry is back on track in Chapleau. All the chairs are filled and they have another three application ready for the fall meetings. I would like to see a continued effort to keep the Lodge of Instruction going into the future and get our younger members involved as they are our future and upcoming Grand Lodge Members.

The Grand Lodge programs have been promoted into all the lodges within the district and have been well received by all our members especially the Brother to Brother program. Finally I wish to thank the Grand Master and all the Grand Lodge Officers for their assistance when required. Also I would like to thank all the committee chairs and the members of Algoma East District for their loyal and strong support giving me the opportunity and great privilege to serve them in the capacity of District Deputy Grand Master of Algoma East District for this Masonic year.

Brant District – 13 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Randy J. Hunt

Masonry in Brand District is more positive than Negative. Over the past few years the lodges which have not had new candidates and have been stagnant are now receiving new applicants.

The finances in the district vary greatly from one lodge to another, due to the amount of work being done for the lodge, the immediate need of funds for projects like charity or lodge building demands.

Amalgamations in Brant District would be hard to accomplish because the area covered by each individual lodge. The attachment Masons hold to a particular lodge and the area covered by that lodge that is hard to describe.

The Blood Donor Program is a strength in Brant District there are five lodges that sponsor clinics in Brantford, Paris, Burford and Waterford. Other lodges would sponsor the Blood Clinics but there are no dates available as other organizations now sponsor the clinics in their particular community.

The lodges are active in the community through involvement with the schools, farm Shows Remembrance day services, widows funds, Pumpkinfests, Father's Day Brunch, Pork BBQ's, Various Ladies Nights, Community Picnic's and Pre-schools.

Five lodges in the district have a long range planning Committee. The others lodges cover this committee under the auspices of the board of general purposes or plan on the fly.

For the last five years The Masters, Past Masters and Wardens Association has filled the top three executive positions with the incoming proposed District Deputy Grand Masters. Brant is on a rotation schedule for the position of District Deputy Grand Master, each lodge is assured a turn at least every thirteen years.

Each lodge should look in ward in order to promote Masonic Values in the lodge and by doing so the lodge will become more involved in the community thereby attracting new members into the order and current embers back to the order. Grand lodge programs need to be studied at the lodge level and used through out the year because there is no sense in inventing the wheel twice or thirteen times. As a last recommendation I would ask that each lodge appoint a competent person to act as a liaison to the Brant District Web Site, to update dates for degree work, special visits and pin presentations etc. Using the web site like this will improve communications and increase visiting.

Bruce District – 12 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Terrance J. Murphy

This has definitely been a pleasure for me to represent such an active District. The lodges in the district have been very active for this year. As most organizations are struggling to get newer members, our district has been blessed with a very good number of fine men starting their Masonic journey in this unbelievable fraternity. We must be doing something right to have such an abundance of new members. I made it my goal this year to visit every lodge that was conferring an Entered Apprentice degree. At the time, I just didn't realize that this commitment would have me out so many nights. I have enjoyed the fellowship shown

by all the lodges in the district and I'm sure some of the lodges would like me to affiliate as I was there sometimes more than some of their members. There have been many 50 year pin presentations this year as well as a few 60 year pins. Our official visits showed the district's support for the Masters as we had an average of 70 per meeting and out of twelve lodges we had meetings with 10 Masters in attendance. What a show of support for the district. We have a fine group of past and present Grand Lodge Officers as well as Board Members who help guide the district well.

A couple of lodges in the District are going through tough times and are a concern. However, one must be impressed with the fact that there have been many degrees performed in an excellent manner. Degrees were performed in most of the lodges; this is a positive outlook for the Craft. The Entered Apprentice Welcoming Team fell by the wayside this year and we are trying to start it up again next year. It is enjoyable for a candidate to see so many faces in the lodge showing their support. Many lodges in the District are now using e-mail and it is improving the movement of information within the district and hopefully will help increase the numbers for visitations as well as work in the degrees.

The District Devine Service was well attended and the Masonic Image to our families and friends was positive. Our presence in the communities is very impressive with floats in Parades, Steak BBQ's , Fish Fries, Rib Fest, Golf Tournaments, District Curling, Card Nights, Christmas dinners and Breakfast. We were invited to attend the largest event in Bruce, "The Pumpkin Fest" held in Port Elgin with over 50 thousand attending, From our display, we had 11 applicants interested in Freemasonry. We started the year off with a Lodge of Instruction in Kitchener, and we carried this further with two mini lodges of Instructions conducted in the district They were well attended by members of Bruce, Grey and North Huron districts. This has helped many of the newer brethren understand the work which was evident by the proficiency of the degree work of the district. The annual Degree in The Barn at the Outdoor Education Centre, was held with a larger than expected crowd enjoying the degree and the inspirational talk by R.W. Bro. Raymond Daniels, As the Outdoor Education centre is Bruce's District Charity this year, the donations are definitely going to a good cause.

Chatham District – 11 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Ronald F. Fuller

I've found masonry in Chatham District this past year to be very active and interesting. Although some Lodges may not be strong in numbers they make up for it with enthusiasm, attracting new members and proficiency of work. All the lodges except for one has a nice balance of Master Masons and Past Masters going through the chairs. The one lodge with only Past Masters in the chairs is still very active drawing a good turnout of members and visitors. The lodges are all financially sound and have a good working relationship with one another giving support whenever requested.

Chatham District is very good in supporting their community. They help with many projects such as the Bruce B. Foster Foundation (which gave six-one-thousand dollar bursaries to students for continuing education in 2006). Chatham-Kent bears program for traumatized children, school breakfast programs, children playground and swimming programs, Heart and Stroke, Canadian Cancer Society, Christmas Parade, Remembrance Day Service and the library board.

The past year I've had the pleasure and honour to assist in the presentation of 50 and 60 year pins to brethren in the district Their recollections and remembrances of years past, what they have enjoyed, the Masonic friendships they made, and their heart felt thanks to the lodge I find very interesting.

My wife and I have had the privilege attending receptions for the Grand Master in surrounding districts as well as the Chatham District reception and 125th anniversary celebration of Howard Lodge No. 391, of which I am a member and we express our sincere thanks for being invited. It is always a pleasure to attend ladies appreciation events, lodge dinners and district social affairs. During the year I've enjoyed visiting in other districts, getting to know their DDGM better and having them return to my district.

I've been honoured to be elected to serve Chatham District as their DDGM. It's been a very busy and rewarding year.

Eastern District – 16 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Gary C. MacGregor

The state of Masonry in the Eastern District is in better shape than it has been for a number of years. The successful Lodges are following the Grand Lodge Programmes. There are some Lodges with good financial backing and others who are just making it, but all are surviving through fund raising events when money is needed. Most lodges have a bursary and donations are made to local schools. Our District gave out \$10,000 last year to 50 students in our area. I presented one cheque on behalf of the Masonic Foundation of Ontario to a student at Saint Lawrence College in Cornwall.

All lodges have had at least one new candidate and some Lodges several candidates. We are saddened to have lost 13 Brethren to the Grand Lodge Above, but Eastern District has been fortunate to have had twenty four new Masons Initiated into the Craft in my term as District Deputy.

The District Entered Apprentice Mason Team and I have been assisting in these Initiations by presenting a letter to the new Mason explaining a little about Grand Lodge, our District, and the Home Lodge as well as his responsibilities.

Although there are still a few Lodges that are in need of support, they are receiving help from the other stronger Lodges in the District.

Eastern District has had several visits from Grand Lodge Officers who have assisted our District by putting on a Lodge of Instruction and a Lodge of Discussion. An Initiation was also done for us by the Deputy Grand Master, three Past Grand Masters, and several Grand Lodge Officers followed by a very enjoyable casual reception.

Eastern District has a new website and you can find it at: www.easterndistrictmasons.com. Thanks to all who made this a reality.

Our Eastern District project is the moving of an old "Orange Lodge" building from Kars to Upper Canada Village where it will be restored to 1867 vintage as a Masonic Lodge Building.

Thanks to all the DDGM's who travelled with and supported me throughout the year.

Erie District – 9 Lodges

R.W. Bro. R. Bruce Jackson

Overall Masonry in Erie District is in good condition except one who has been struggling for the past year or so. The quality of the work in the lodges has been good to excellent. All lodges are financially stable and are involved in community activities.

Membership is declining at this time in several lodges while one lodge has been kept very busy dealing with applications. The Blood Donor programme was successful with an increase of donors.

I had many highlights as DDGM this year. I had the opportunity and privilege to assist in the presentation to honour a 69 year mason who is also a 61 year Past Master with the Grand Master in attendance; two 50 year pins; one 60 year pin; one 50 year Veteran's medal. Three brothers were initiated into Masonry the same evening with the Deputy Grand Master present. Corner Stone laying with the Grand Master and Deputy Grand Master in attendance. Official visit to Pelee Island with over 130 present.

I would like to thank the Brethren for giving me the distinct pleasure of allowing me to serve them as DDGM of Erie District and to the friendly and cordial greetings I received while visiting in and out of the District.

Frontenac District – 16 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Raymond B. Winfield

Frontenac District, with approximately 1134 members in one or more of the 16 lodges, lies within the boundaries of Gananoque in the east, to Napanee in the west, Northbrook in the north (north of Hwy 7), to Sharbot Lake and Newboro in the northeast and follows Hwy 15 & 32 to the south. Of the 16 Lodges, 3 had no applications for initiation. Applications

received total 30 for initiation and 20 for affiliation. St. Andrew's Lodge (North of 7) hosted the Grand Master and Grand Lodge for their dedication of a new lodge building. They have since received 9 applications. We started off the year with 18 lodges. Lorne Lodge No. 404 surrendered their warrant. Cataraqui and Royal Edward lodges amalgamated under the name Royal Edward of Cataraqui No. 92. Prince Arthur and Maple Leaf Lodges are beginning discussion with a view to amalgamation. While all lodges appear to be financially sound, a lack of energy and member participation is noted. The average of members involved and attending lodge is 17 being 24% of the average membership in a lodge.

The district approaches the selection of a nominee for District Deputy Grand Master on a rotational basis. This year, there were two consecutive lodges which declined to submit a name for the position of Vice President in the Association.

The theme for this year (2006-07) was Music, Obesity, and Unity. With Music we have laid the seed to have a District choir that would be able to do the Music portions of the degrees. The 'War on Obesity' is the District Project with a goal of \$10,000 to be allocated to the Centre for Obesity Research and Education at Queen's University. Unity to me means doing something together as a cohesive unit. We started with a BBQ for committee chairmen and their spouses, met mid term with a Saturday Breakfast with Worshipful Masters and held a District Divine Service with 70 attending. As well, we are committed this September to assist at the International Plowing Match in Crosby.

While we have seen sloppy floor work and wands used as a direction pointer and learning post, the majority of lodges by far outdo themselves and their degrees can leave you spell bound. Six monthly workshops on Protocol and Ritual were presented and well received by those who attended. We also have a team called the 40-Below Degree Team. This group of younger masons (below 40 yrs of age) are striving for perfection in degree work and are to be commended for their activity.

I am proud to have served as the Grand Master's representative this year and I would close with this thought Cherish the Past, Participate in the Present, and most importantly, Support those who represent our Future.

Georgian North District – 12 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Brian E. Seabourn

Our District year started with one hundred and fifty guest attending at Ste. Marie Among-the-Hurons. Mid evening the historical site caught fire and the reception terminated with various Brethren assisting firefighters.

Research regarding Lodge utilization of critical Grand Lodge programmes was initiated. Most were found unused and seemingly dormant. To rejuvenate, the Grand Lodge B2B committee made two presentations, both well received and attended in Orillia and Collingwood. The District Chairman of F2F and Mentors held a Saturday seminar in Elmvale that was also well attended. The Grand Lodge- Lodge of Instruction team presented their programme in Barrie, where eight of our Lodges were represented.

I trust this rejuvenation will continue to evolve and grow, as much work is needed to get the desired results.

The Grand Master attended a Georgian Districts social club luncheon in Orillia, and then the Installation at Victoria Lodge No. 470. Past Grand Master Ronald E. Groshaw was accompanied by Present and Past Grand Lodge Officers to Coronation Lodge No. 466, and the Deputy Grand Master attended, and received an Honourary Membership into Manitou Lodge No. 90.

Our District Project supporting the Simcoe County Museum will see Masonic Display open to the public June 20, 2007 through November 2007, and a permanent display is now under consideration.

At writing, the Midland Temple is being sold. It houses three craft Lodges, and numerous other Masonic bodies. Plans are underway for Caledonia Lodge No. 249 and Victoria Lodge No. 470 to amalgamate, then utilize the Temple in Victoria Harbour. The two remaining Lodges have formed a joint committee to investigate their options, and consider a future. It would seem they have a one year window to exercise and implement

their plan to stay in Midland.

Eleven of the twelve Lodges have made progress in various areas. Some with membership increase, others with improved ritual, and others with improving Officer Progression. The one outstanding Lodge has initiated an internal review, is addressing issues in a positive and realistic manner, and will face difficult choices over the coming year.

Georgian South District – 10 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Wm. W. W. McCulloch

Georgian South District is located north of the Greater Toronto Area. The membership totals between 1150 and 1200 Masons and this number remains stable. All Lodges are showing significant increases in new members. Demits, suspensions and TGLA are keeping the numbers level. Most of the new Initiates are younger men and hopefully this will change the equation in the future. Using the Brother to Brother Program will help in keeping these Brethren active. The Friend to Friend Program has been responsible for a large number of these Candidates.

The Lodges in the District have become more visible in the Community due to more participation in events throughout the District and getting coverage in the Media. Lodges are participating in such events as Community Days, Adopt a Road Program, Food Banks, assisting Lodges in other countries and sending Care Packages to our Troops. There are a number of new Members who have joined recently from CFB Borden and some of them are serving overseas.

The Masons of the District are very active in the Blood Donor Program. Our District Chairman, R.W. Bro. John Milne is a very avid supporter of this Program. The Lodges in Tottenham and Beeton organize and volunteer at Canadian blood Services Clinics.

Special Events in the District have been well attended including the Grand master's Reception, Lodge of Instruction, Warden's Association, Masonic Association and Ladies' Nights.

District Project in support of the Canadian Diabetic Association is progressing well with participation of all Lodges.

"Condition of Masonry" in Georgian South District is on the upswing. Most Lodges have no Past Masters in the progressive chairs and are in good Financial condition. There is an increase in inter-lodge visitations. Some of the Lodges are using programs such as Friend to Friend, Brother to Brother and Mentors and are benefiting by this. The Ritual and Protocol is well done in most Lodges.

Grey District – 12 Lodges

R.W. Bro. F. Gordon Hedges

Grey District consists of twelve lodges ranging from Owen Sound and Meaford on Georgian Bay south to Orangerville and Grand Valley. The geographical size of Grey District makes visiting a challenge for some of our lodges, especially in poor weather, but inter-lodge visitation is increasing. The Work & protocol in Grey District is very good and many compliments have been received about the friendly atmosphere of our country lodges. Four lodges report decreasing membership, one in particular is showing signs of trouble, but the officers are trying to improve its condition. Membership is increasing in some of the lodges. All of our lodges are working to improve their situation, some with more success than others, but they are trying. The Grand Lodge programs of Friend to Friend, Brother to Brother and Mentor are seeing more use and the lodges using them are having good results. This may encourage more lodges to make use of them. Friend to Friend breakfasts are more common and a drop-in lunch at the Owen Sound Temple every Thursday is quite popular. The busier lodges are taking candidates to neighbouring lodges for degree work in order to share the work and to avoid having candidates wait too long to advance in our science.

Two District Lodges of Instruction were held in the District. The first was held in the fall by North Star lodge, Owen Sound. It covered the topics of floor

work and protocol. The second was held in April at Mount Forest and was designed to help the upcoming Worshipful Masters and Wardens with planning. Planning for the Masonic year, Long Range Planning and Amalgamations were the topics covered. A computer resources and secretaries seminar will be held in June.

Several 25, 50 and 60 year awards were made in several lodges and St. George's Lodge #88 is celebrating its 150th anniversary. The annual Veteran's night held by Scott Lodge, Grand Valley was well attended and our Deputy Grand Master attended the event. Our District Ladies Night was well attended as was the Curling Bonspiel in January. A District Divine Service held in Markdale had a good turnout and the message by the Minister was very positive and complimentary of Masonry and its brethren. There was also a good turn out at the reception for the Grand Master held in Arthur this April. A District Golf Tournament is scheduled for May 28th. There has been the continuing good support by the brethren of Grey District for all district events held this year.

Overall Grey District is in good shape and has some good examples of Masonry at work, and I thank our District Secretary Worshipful Brother Garry Aitken for his work and dedication to the District this year.

Hamilton District A – 14 Lodges

R. W. Bro. D. J. Ivan Elliot

Hamilton District A geographically extends from Stoney Creek on the Southern boundary to Campbellville on the Northern, from Waterdown on the Western, to Oakville on the Eastern boundary. There are 14 Lodges contained therein. It has been my Privilege and Honour to represent the Grand Master at all Installations as well as attending to my responsibility for Official Visits at each and every Lodge. Many Lodges I have attended 4 to 5 times, especially to present Masonic Pins for 50 Years a Mason, 60 Years a Mason, 50 Year a Past Master, many 25 year pins, many Grand Lodge Certificates and Lewis Jewels. This include one Veteran Jubilee Medal.

I have participated in the presentation of 6 Bursaries on behalf of the Masonic Foundation, to needy students in their year of education, with their response being most touching.

Masonry as a whole, within the Hamilton Masonic District A is indeed "alive and well" with Fraternal enthusiasm being aptly displayed by the Brethren. Lodge Room Ritual followed established Protocol with a few minor correctable variances. The Work was presented from Memory, with no open Books evident in Lodge, except for that of the Official Prompter.

There were 8 Masonic Memorial Services conducted for departed Brethren, which I sadly attended this year, within the District. However, this is somewhat offset by the increased number of newly initiated Brethren. Grand Lodge programs such as F2F and Mentors are available at the majority of the District Lodges. Long Range Planning is effectively utilized by the majority of Lodges and the result is quite evident in their financial well being. No Amalgamations are being contemplated at this time.

The Fraternal Fellowship proffered to me as DDGM was excellent. The support of the Worshipful Masters, as well as the Present and Past Grand Lodge Officers and Brethren of the District was most heart warming and greatly appreciated.

Hamilton District B – 12 Lodges

R. W. Bro. David Gibson Sr.

It was a pleasure and an honour to represent Hamilton "B" as the District Deputy Grand Master. There are twelve lodges in Hamilton "B" they have all been proactive with some lodges having a Masonic Open House, showing Hollywood motion pictures that contain Masonic themes. Discussion of Masonic interests with the G-15 Group. Lodge brethren are visiting members that have not been to lodge for sometime. Brethren have received their 50 & 60 years of service lapel pin as well as 25 years a Past Master pin and Lewis

Jewel presentations. A community library was built and a Lodge took on the challenge of dedicating a Flagstaff. Attendance and candidates have significantly increased for the majority of lodges in Hamilton "B". This year our district successfully completed two major challenges. Our Blood Donors collected 7305 donations of whole blood and platelets surpassing last years record. Canadian Blood Services trained three members as Donor Ambassadors as well as a refresher course for our Hospitality Ambassadors. The district and the lodges maintained the scheduling and manning of 95 Blood Donor Clinics for 2006-2007. The Brethren of Hamilton "B" needed a benevolent project that would involved every Brother and Lodge in the district which they could get excited about and be proud that they participated in by assisting a person or persons in need of the generosity that comes from a Mason's heart. We named the project "Follow Your Guide". This project was to purchase one Vision Guide Dog. We then challenged all the Lodges in Hamilton "B" to assist in this endeavour. Well by the end of the six months time line Hamilton "B" was just a buzz with excitement. We now had enough money to purchase four Guide Dogs , two Visions, one Hearing and one Special Skills Dog. Not only has this project been very successful. But the enthusiasm that's been developed from "Follow Your Guide" has carried over to our lodges and the whole district has benefited from this experience. Masonry is for sure alive and doing extremely well in Hamilton District "B".

Hamilton District C – 14 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Eduardo J. Cordero

It is with pleasure that I am able to report that Hamilton Masonic District "C" had a very successful year. This success was the result of the dedication and enthusiasm of all the Lodges in the District, their Worshipful Masters and the Brethren in general. I want to take this opportunity to thank the District for the warmth, respect and brotherly love with which I was treated at every one of my visits; whether official or fraternal. My deepest gratitude goes to W. Bro. Reg. Joyce, District Secretary, for his support, hard labour and commitment to the office of the District Deputy Grand Master for Hamilton District "C". This report would not be complete without a note of recognition to all the District Committee Chairmen. It was their faithful commitment to their offices which brought about improvements in our District this year. New methods of operation were established in the administration of several Committees. We anticipate these changes will allow the committees to grow and develop even further in the years to come. First of all, we saw a drastic increase in the number of blood donations by our District. For the first time in years, several of the Lodges in the District sponsored blood clinics ran by the Canadian Blood Services. Consequently, we saw an increase of nearly 1000%; with over 819 units of blood accounted for. Second, we ran a District Charity for the 22q13 Deletion Syndrome, also known as the Phelan-McDermid Syndrome. The District collected over \$3,100.00 which will be donated to McGill University's Research Laboratories working on a cure for this genetic disorder. The District Committee for Masonic Education also arranged a successful Lodge of Instruction on November 27th, 2006, at the Masonic Centre of Hamilton, where the G-15 Group gave a presentation on the topic of open discussions in Lodge. At the start of the year, on August 17th, 2007, all District Chairmen and their ladies were invited to a BBQ at my home. The intent was to establish a rapport and develop plans of action for the ensuing year. The District Chairmen had the opportunity to announce their action plans at our Fall District meeting on September 16th, 2006. A Mid-Term District Meeting was held on February 17th, 2007, which gave an opportunity to the District Committees Chairmen to touch base, and re-evaluate the progress made in each of their departments. At our Spring District Meeting, on May 5th, 2007, the Committees Chairmen gave satisfactory reports on their favourable accomplishments.

This year, many of the Lodges in Hamilton District "C" experienced a high volume of initiations. The new candidate is young in age and full of enthusiasm. He is eager to learn, grow and participate in our Noble Craft. Several of my lectures on Official Visits

were directed at encouraging the Masters of the Lodges to instruct and employ the new young members into Masonry.

This year was definitely highlighted by a sense of high energy in the entire District. Official Visits were well attended with representatives from many lodges. Most of the District Chairmen attended all of the official visits, while many of them also accompanied me to fraternal visits to other Lodges as well.

I made several visits to each Lodge over and above my official duties. I visited several of the Lodges with busier social schedules on five or six different occasions. Both, the Fall and Spring District Meetings were well attended with representatives from most lodges. We also had a Fall and a Spring Divine Service organized by the Hamilton Masonic Districts Board of Relief. Unfortunately we also attended a number of Memorial Services for departed Brethren on request of their families. Brethren from all three Hamilton Masonic Districts attended the annual Family Sunrise Service and Breakfast on June 3rd, where R.W. Bro. Allan J. Petrisor was the speaker. It was another successful year for the organizers of this service. I want to remind all the brethren in our District of the Masonic Beef and Corn Roast to be held on August 22nd, 2007 at the Marritt Hall in Ancaster.

This year we received three Grand Lodge appointments in our District. V.W. Bro. John Aikman was appointed Grand Organist. V.W. Bro. James R. Boyd and V.W. Bro. William N. Brimer were appointed Grand Stewards. These Brethren accompanied me to many of my official as well as fraternal visits to Lodges and Grand Master Receptions in neighbouring Districts.

Masonry is alive and flourishing in the Hamilton Masonic District "C". For this reason we have a responsibility to forever uphold and maintain the integrity and reputation of our beloved Craft. Let us never fail to ensure that our Ancient Order continues to be as graceful, wise and dignified as it was always meant to be. It truly has been an unforgettable experience and a high honour to serve as District Deputy Grand Master. I am forever indebted to Hamilton Masonic District "C" in particular and Freemasonry in general.

May the M.H. give us all the strength to continue our labours for the betterment of our Fraternity.

London East District – 14 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Raymond Charles

Masonry in the London East District appears to be coasting along and I believe relying on our past history. The shortage of new officers is very visible in at least 90 percent of the lodges in the district, some chairs being filled by Past Masters and others vacant. There is a breakdown in the participation by a number of Masters and Wardens in the district in visitations which unfortunately is the result of those filling positions for the second or third time. Newer members are moving along to quickly in officers positions being WM's after only 4 or 5 years. The history of the district as regards participation is not being passed on to these officer and results in non attendance or no lodge representation at most visitations.

The District Secretary and I hosted a breakfast on Jan 6th and invited the WM's and Wardens to attend. It was a very informal affair with a question and answer period. Information on protocol and etiquette was distributed. It was very well attended and received, so much so that we had another in late March which again was open floor discussions. This enabled the groups to get to know one another better and did increase attendance at visitations. I am pleased to report that through these breakfasts the decision was made to have our first London East District BBQ which will be held on July the 8th and is open to all. The participation at this point is very good with all lodges assisting financially and we hope this will be an annual fundraising event and stimulate the interest of the lodge members.

In attendance at Masonic funeral services I witnessed some done very well but unfortunately some were done in a less than presentable manner and I have suggested to

those lodges that they spend an evening and rehearse the parts involved with the proper booklets available.

Talk of amalgamation has been mentioned by two lodges, but still in the discussion stage with their members. I was very pleased to attend a great number of 25, 50, 60 and a 75 year pin presentation in the district this year. It was a stimulating and heartwarming experience and the presentations went very well.

The London East and London West District divine service was well attended with the Mocha Trumpet Band playing some fine music for our pleasure.

I attended all but one initiation in the district and was pleased to see so many young men with an interest in our fraternity. If looked after properly these brethren will hopefully continue to play a part in our order. It has been a very exciting and rewarding experience in being the Grand Masters Representative in this district, I would like to thank the District Secretary for his assistance and also a big thank you to the district resource team who did such a fine job again this year.

It's been such a pleasure and I thank the district for giving me this opportunity, its something I will never forget.

London West District – 13 Lodges

R.W. Bro. David R. B. Kennedy

London West has enjoyed a successful and exciting year. Membership growth, innovative approaches to Masonic education and active lodges working in harmony characterize this district.

The district experienced its first amalgamation in October 2006 with the joining of Acacia 580 and St. Paul's 107. This was well supported within the district and although not without start-up issues, has been a positive experience for the new lodge.

London West was fortunate to host 3 regional Grand Lodge events this past year. A Lodge of Instruction (September), a Masonic Foundation seminar (January) and a Long Range Planning seminar (April) yielded significant participants from within the district and around the region.

In 2006/07 the DDGM focused on 3 main themes. At each OV, Master Masons who joined within the past 5 years were recognized by the DDGM and suggested ritual work was assigned. This program should lead to higher membership retention. Inter-lodge communication was also improved by monthly communication of planned degrees to increase attendance at degrees and provide new members with the opportunity to view recent degrees. At the commencement of the Masonic year a target of 1 blood donation per lodge member was initiated. The target although not attained resulted in a 30% gain in blood donations year over year.

A focus on inter lodge communications is strongly recommended in future years. Continued vigilance and attention to early resolution of private piques is also required. Facing these concerns head-on and solving them early within the lodge is important to maintain harmony.

There are 5 lodges in particular within this district, which have seen a significant number of new members under the age of 35. This is promising, but continued work to ensure these lodges continue to provide what brought these new members to Masonry is required. There is also a need to monitor small lodges and work with them to determine their long range plan.

In summary, London West continues to exemplify the genuine principles of masonry and with growing membership and excitement developed through community involvement it remains a strong and viable district.

Muskoka-Parry Sound District – 8 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Garnet E. Schenk

I am pleased to report on the Condition of Masonry in the Muskoka Parry Sound District for the year 2006-2007.

The District is comprised of eight lodges with a total membership 848 from across the District. The size of the lodges varies from a low of 48 members to a high of 227

members.

I presented a Masonic Maple Leaf Lapel Pin to each new members initiated in to th Order. A letter was sent to each candidate welcoming him into Masonry the M.W. The Grand Master and myself. There were a total of 27 candidates initiated in the District, there were 7 affiliations and 5 petitions for membership are under consideration.

The official and fraternal visits showed that lodges have both strengths and weaknesses. The significant fact is that the apparent strong lodges are not without weakness and the lodges with difficulties are not without some strength. The lack of long range planning and the lack of financial planning face all but two lodges. There is also a glaring lack of using Grand Lodge Resources effectively. The use of the B2B, Mentor, F2F and Long Range Planning could have a positive impact on most lodges if properly used to maximize results. A letter has been sent to each lodge after the Official Visit indicating areas of effectiveness and areas where improvement was needed in ritual and protocol. Minor inconsistencies were managed at the time by discussion with the Worshipful Master of the Worshipful Master and his Officers.

A District Lodge of Instruction and a Grand Lodge Resources were held 2007. Both these sessions were very successful events. It is hoped they might be repeated each year.

I thank the brethren of Muskoka Parry Sound for their support in helping to strengthen Freemasonry.

Niagara District A – 15 Lodges

R.W. Bro. J. David Prudhomme

It has been a very busy, prosperous and rewarding year with numerous events within Niagara District “A”. The most memorable, that of being a part of the many initiations, the presenting of 25, 50, and 60-year pins and most notably, the presentation of an 80-year service pin to Rt. W. Bro. Charles Sankey. There were also many other events such as the refurbishing and rededicating of 2 Lodge Charters, hosting a successful Reception for the Grand Master, and many fund raising events hosted by the Lodges throughout the District. The Official Visits, Initiations and special event meetings were all well supported by visiting brethren.

The ritual work and mechanics throughout the District, for the most part, was very well done. Most of the Lodges are strong and vibrant, however a few are experiencing definite difficulties. The strong and vibrant ones are attracting new members, with a steady stream of new brethren advancing through the chairs, and are active in social and charitable activities. The Lodges in difficulty, in general, can be found functioning far to often with recycled officers, and have few if any outside activities. These Lodges demonstrate a lack of enthusiasm and fail to take advantage of available programs that just might improve their situation.

Niagara “A” has put the principals of Freemasonry to practice through charitable projects and volunteer work, and in turn has gained exposure within our communities. This exposure has attracted new members, while playing a much needed and worthwhile role in the community.

To wrap up the Masonic year, a Gala Fund Raising Dance is scheduled for the end of June, with all proceeds going towards the District Charity of Choice, Women’s Place of Niagara, to add to the donations that have been submitted thus far.

The strength and survival of Freemasonry in Niagara “A” is in the members and attracting new members. The Lodges need to find that harmonious balance that includes time in the Lodge, charitable activities, social events and family.

It has been my honor and privilege to serve the brethren of Niagara District “A” and to represent the Grand Master.

Niagara District B – 11 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Robert W. Piper

It is clear that at the beginning of this Masonic year, the condition of Masonry in Niagara District B left little to be desired. Many problems were addressed, and in order to deal

with these problems, the theme of "To Seek For That Which We Have Lost" was adopted. The District team pulled together and did a yeoman's job. While every team member significantly contributed; mentoring, education and charity efforts reached levels not seen for quite a number of years. The "Lodge of Exploration" that was put on was not only incredibly informative, but exceptionally well received throughout the entire Region of Niagara. The contributions to Women's Place (shelter for abused women) far exceeded all expectations.

The primary problem that needed to be addressed was the lack of fraternity. To that end, the "Capture the Apron" program was initiated. This was specifically designed to promote inter-Lodge visitation. I am pleased to report that not only is inter-Lodge visitation at levels not seen in quite some time, but attendance at the Official Visits and other District events is up a staggering amount over last year. The feeling of fraternity has been found, and Masons within this District are starting to feel good about the Craft again.

But all is not resolved within the District. Constant problems with one Lodge resulted in Grand Lodge taking extreme measures. Another Lodge has turned it's back on the District. It is a credit to the rest of the District that they banded together to rediscover the true meaning of the Craft.

This has been a transition year for Niagara B, and while strides have been taken to get the District back on course, I believe we have only started to achieve our full potential. With fraternity being restored (for the most part), the pleasant burden of taking the District to the next level lies with the future District Deputies and the Brethren at large.

Nipissing East District – 7 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Edward D. Bateman

Nipissing East District is comprised of 7 Lodges ranging in membership from 220 to 44. There are 2 large Lodges in North Bay. Nipissing Lodge No. 420 and North Bay Lodge No. 617 with around 200 members each. Mattawa Lodge No. 405 also shares the same lodge building. The lodge building in Mattawa was in need of too much repair to make it feasible for the members to undertake the cost. The other Lodge in the southern part of the District in Sturgeon Falls Lodge No. 447. In the northern part of the District, Temiskaming Lodge No. 462 and Silver Lodge No. 486 share the same lodge building in Haileybury. Elk lake Lodge No. 507 is the smallest Lodge but they have the newest building as their lodge building was destroyed by fire a few years ago.

The Lodge membership and attendance are a problem with some of the smaller Lodges and it is not surprising that the large population base of North Bay is a factor in the growth of the two Lodges there. All the Lodges are trying to make it a priority to increase attendance of their members at regular meetings.

None of the Lodges are experiencing any financial difficulties and the future financial increase are being taken care of with the increase in dues.

The quality of the ritual work in the District is very good in all Lodges. The Worshipful Masters, Officers and Brethren are striving to perform the degree work to a high standard. It is difficult in some Lodges that have had no candidates for some time but with exemplifications of degrees they are continuing to keep the skills honed. Masonic education is an important part of each Lodge's order of business and there is something of interest at each meeting.

The Lodges in Nipissing East are extremely visitor friendly. There are numerous visitations both within and outside of the District. There are several activities which help to promote fellowship including, a fish fry, golf tournament, ladies' night, coffee mornings, Divine Service, Remembrance Day Service, and yard sales, to name few.

The condition of Masonry in Nipissing East continues to be stable for the most part and where Lodges are struggling the Worshipful Masters and Brethren are committed to put forth an extra effort to rectify the situation and ensure a viable Masonic Lodge will remain in their communities.

North Huron District – 11 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Larry J. Harper

The Lodge of North Huron District are for the most part, are in good condition, both financially and masonically. The ritual I have seen is fair to good, though I wish more Lodges would attend the yearly Lodges Of Instruction put on by Grand Lodge. The Brother to Brother and Friend to Friend programs have also had some success in the District.

There has been some interest in Long Range Planning in the District, as there were three Brethren attending the seminar in London, Ontario, this past spring.

My overall experience as DDGM in North Huron has been very rewarding, with several pins being presented at various Lodges, ranging from 25 years to 50 years and one 60 year presented to W. Bro. Gordon Leggett, by Grand Master M.W. Bro. Gary L. Atkinson. The "Lewis Jewel" new this year, has been presented at a few Lodges. Then in May 2007, Fordwich Lodge had a family night and out of the 15 Jewels the Lodge applied for there were 12 presented that evening. It was also a pleasure to have R.W. Bro. Raymond Daniels, B. Of G. P. present, to give an explanation of the "Lewis Jewel" and it's origin.

At the DDGM Regional meeting in July 2006, I recall the words of our Grand Master when he told us when writing this report that it is not to be "sugar coated". Well from that I would say that North Huron District was established over 100 years ago when the railway lines connected the Lodges to one another. Now North Huron District has no railway lines left and it appears that the Lodges in the District are facing "slow and painful deaths". The rural areas are now in a declining population, with many young hopeful candidates leaving to seek education or careers.

Each Lodge, I am aware, has it's "heritage and pride", as Masonic Institutions should. I am suggesting it is time that each Lodge look at their individual circumstances, consider the alternatives for the good of the Lodge and the Craft as a whole, to renew Masonry in North Huron District.

The dedicated Brethren of the individual Lodges, with help and effort of Grand Lodge assisting, the strength of the District will return.

Ontario District – 15 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Robert E. Jones

The lodges of Ontario District are supportive of one another which shows in the manner they interchange candidates and visit the various functions In this day and age of two families working, and also working shift work, it has been a struggle to have all Masters out to Official Visits and Installations.

I have visited every lodge in the district and many two or three times. I have been received with dignity and I thank the Officers of each lodge for their courtesies extended to me and our District Secretary.

During the year many lodges took advantage of open house, friend to friend, mentors and computer services. The district held two lodges of instruction and found them to be very informative and productive.

The District Project 'Hearth Place Cancer Support Centre' was well supported and at the time of this writing we have exceeded our goal by 100%. In the spring the District held a 'Black Tie Dinner and Dance' in support of our project and raised \$6,800.00. This event brought together all the lodges of the District along with their ladies and many positive comments were forthcoming. Many lodges, individually, held special events to raise money for their own purposes and for the District Project and their contributions were appreciated. Lodge of Instruction and Mentors programs, when used, are working well. The lodges that take advantage of the Grand Lodge programs benefit.

Membership seems to be slipping slightly in some areas however most lodges have an abundance of new candidates and the declines can be attributed to death, demits and suspensions.

The officers presently in the chairs are doing a fine job and are holding their lodges together. Presently there are nine lodges which have repeat Masters in the Master's chair.

This concerns me only slightly as there are brethren in the senior chairs who will take over in succeeding years and this condition will cease.

Overall Masonry in Ontario District is in fine shape and the work, during the year, has been for the most part exemplary.

I thank you for the opportunity to serve as DDGM of Ontario District for the year 2006-2007. It is an experience I will not soon forget.

Ottawa District 1 – 15 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Barry F. Burchill

Wow! What a year! Masonry in all its vicissitudes is alive and well in Ottawa District 1. All the 15 Lodges had new members to initiate this year. To that end I am happy to report that degree work, both ritual and floor work is being performed in accordance with the current "Book of the Work" and being done with quality and a great deal of dignity and respect to the traditions of our craft. The district Long Range Plan has had its annual update and is ready to assist the next DDGM, it was a great asset to the success of my year.

For the most part Lodges are making use of the available Grand Lodge Programs, some Lodges more than others. An annual "need assessment" should be done at each Lodge to see where these programs can help out. The 2 Ottawa Districts however held a very successful Grand Lodge of Instruction this year, with approximately 120 masons in attendance.

This year saw the completion of our District Project to raise a total of \$40, 000.00 to sponsor the "Family room" at Rogers House (a pediatric palliative care facility) this has been an ongoing project for the past 4 years. I must thank the members of the District and the support of the Masonic Foundation of Ontario, for allowing us to reach our goal. In addition to supporting the District Charity, all lodges have also lent their support to projects at the Lodge level benefiting a number of worthy groups and helping to raise our profile in their respective communities.

It was a tremendous experience being your DDGM this year! I would encourage all of the Lodges to build on the momentum we have started, focus on the positive, continue to work to correct those things that need fixing, employ as many members as we can, continue to enjoy an exemplary degree of protocol, keeping our high profile in the community and most importantly let's continue to MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

Ottawa District 2 – 15 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Norman E. Brooks

Masonry is alive and well in Ottawa 2 District. The "Work" in the majority of the lodges is executed very well throughout the District. Membership, in the lodges in most cases remains constant, the influx of initiates and affiliates has balanced the deaths and resignations. Cobden Lodge No. 459 & Enterprise Lodge No. 516 are currently working towards amalgamation. All Masonic buildings in the District meet the standards of their respective Communities and are well maintained. There were 23 initiates in the district lodges this year and there was a good balance of young and more mature men. M.W. Bro. Donald H. Mumby and his team conducted a Lodge of Instruction for the benefit of record turnout on October 21, 2006. W. Bro. Richard Loomes and his team put on a very successful District Lodge of Instruction on March 24, 2007 in Pembroke Lodge No. 128, Pembroke, ON., which was open to all Masons. A. Grand Lodge Team put on a very successful Brother to Brother seminar at the Walkley Road Masonic Centre, Ottawa, ON March 10, 2007. We are fortunate in having a new and energetic computer resources and Web Page Webmaster in the person of W. Bro. Gordon Hutchison. Under the leadership of our new District Blood Donor chairman, W. Bro. Donald Fraser, 1757 donations were recorded this year, which is a gain of 2.45%. The lodges comprising Ottawa 2 District fall into two distinct classes. The country lodges are more active and better known to their communities. Few city lodges have lodge activities that resonate well with the community, however many individual members are active in community affairs. Many lodges sponsor Blood Donor Clinics throughout the jurisdiction. Dalhousie Lodge No.

52 continues to support Beavers, Cubs and Scouts in Orleans. Enterprise Lodge No. 516 is again sponsoring a "ride" in support of the Children's Hospital of Easter Ontario (CHEO). Many members take part in programmes to drive patients to various hospital appointments. The Relay for life in support of the Cancer Society is well supported by Renfrew Lodge No. 122, they also provide bursaries to the local High School.

Madawaska Lodge continues their long established policy of supporting bursaries to the local high school. Additionally they donated momentarily towards the provision of a special vest for a Cystic Fibrosis suffering youth who required the vest to aid in his breathing. Ottawa 2 is blessed with dedicated, well motivated brethren in well run lodges.

Peterborough District – 12 Lodges

R.W. Bro. O. Harold Grills

Peterborough District has been very active this year. We hosted the Grand Lodge tent at the I.P.M. and also held the Grand Master's meet and greet in September. The Grand Master attended both of these events. Several Lodges have picked up some candidates with some Lodges picking up several candidates. Degree work in the District is very good with Past Officers helping out and encouraging the new members to participate.

Percy Lodge held a very successful Friend to Friend night in February with 19 friends attending. To date seven have joined or are in the process of joining with several more expressing an interest to join in the fall. Corinthian Lodge held three daylight Lodges in January, February and March and this was well received. The long range planning committee is working to benefit Masonry in the District.

At the present time talks are going on concerning amalgamation between Hastings Lodge No. 633 and Golden Rule Lodge No. 126. I do not know the outcome but I am sure it will benefit Masonry in the District.

There were numerous pins and awards handed out to members for long service. I was proud to present W. Bro. Jim Bird of Percy Lodge with his 50 year Past Master pin at our meeting in December.

The District newsletter was again produced by W. Bro. Robert McBride and well received throughout our District. Our District Calendar is to return in September. It has been greatly missed.

This year we worked at promoting Masonry at its finest. All Lodges were on board and did a fantastic job this year. It is starting to pay off already.

Peterborough District is a strong and hard working District for the betterment of Masonry and I fell that they are doing a great job in doing that.

Prince Edward District – 13 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Gerald A. Davidson

This was a very good for Masonry in Prince Edward District, highlighted by a well attended reception for the Grand Master on May 11. As well the District Past Masters, Masters, and Wardens Association hosted a reception for The Grand Registrar, R.W. Bro. Allen J. Hackett a member of Star-in-the-East Lodge. Both events were well attended by Masons and their ladies including Grand Lodge Officers and a large number of members from the District.

Stirling Lodge celebrated its 150th Anniversary with a well attended Lodge meeting and reception.

One of the most satisfactory events for me personally, and one that made me especially proud to be a Mason, was to present a Masonic Foundation bursary to a student at Loyalist College in Belleville. The recipient was most grateful as the bursary enabled her to complete her year of sturdy.

Many Lodges are active their communities. Activities include: community suppers, breakfasts and lunches, open houses, participation in parades, participation in community festivals and Divine Services. I am particularly pleased to see so many Lodges participate in Remembrance Day services, it shows we care and must never forget. Some Lodges are reaching out to young people by presenting scholarships to deserving high school students.

The Lodges in the District are financially sound; however two Lodges had to sell their buildings and are now using other Lodges in the District to hold their meetings.

Many young men have been initiated into Masonry in the District. I am pleased to see that many of them are active in the work and do their work exceptionally well.

St. Lawrence District – 17 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Leonard B. Vincent

Masonry in St. Lawrence District is flourishing. The work is generally good to excellent. As I visited each of the seventeen lodges I found them to be conducted in an efficient and competent manner. Each lodge had active support from the secretary, past masters and officers. Summons are circulated, records kept and finances governed as per the Constitution. All banquets observed proper etiquette and protocol.

Lodge buildings are fairly well maintained, but some temples are on upper floors making it difficult for the aged and infirm. All but one of our lodges are governed by a Holding Corporation.

Our lodges are very active in the communities. Many of them have fund raising activities such as chicken or steak barbecues to both serve the community and to generate revenue for the lodges and charities.

Our membership is stable with most lodges getting an increase in candidates this year. This has caused most lodges to have to do more degree work than they have in several years. Only one Lodge had no candidates.

Our Masonic Association is very affective and it enables us to do some larger events. Our District Divine Service was held in the Harmony Temple this year. The Temple was formally a United Church and suited the occasion quite well. It was packed to near capacity. The District Chaplin who is a lay minister incorporated some Masonry into the service. The Blood donor Clinic was also well staffed by Masons ad well received in the community. For the second year the Masons successfully organized and presented the Brockville Santa Claus Parade. Our fourth annual Masonic Quiz which is the culmination of our Masonic Education Programme was well received with about half of our lodges participating in a fun quiz evening. In February a curling bonspiel brought together Masons and friends from all across the District and some from without, for a day of fun. Our Masonic year wound down with "Quarry Lodge" where Masons can come and participate in a lodge in the open quarry beginning at high twelve on the second Saturday of June. Family and friends are welcome to come participate in the activities that span the whole weekend in Spencerville. This year we saw a first degree done New York State style by Alexandria Lodge No. 297, Alexandria Bay, New York. Our last District event before Grand Lodge was a quiet family picnic in the park in Delta.

As the District Deputy I have experienced a year of growth and pleasure and have been proud to be associated with the Masons in St. Lawrence District.

St. Thomas District – 10 Lodges

R.W. Bro. David W. Nichols

This year has been a year of many successes in St. Thomas District. Our lodges have seen an increase of initiations. At the time of writing this report the lodges in the district will have brought in 18 new brethren to Freemasonry. One of these lodges has brought in 4 candidates which is great considering they have struggled the last few years with no candidates and internal struggles. The lodges with candidates are seeing a return of the members who had fallen away due to no work and no reason to attend the meetings. The average age of our new candidates is approximately 40 years of age and they are energized about joining Masonry.

Overall our membership has remained steady through the district. The number of demits and suspensions is very minimal which is a good sign. The number of deaths has remained about the same with 24 members passing to the Grand Lodge Above.

We were pleased to have our Grand Master with us for 3 Fraternal Visits as he was able to present a 50 year pin on each of those occasions along with other numerous long service pins. The Grand Master and his Lady Sandy were with us as we honoured them

in November with a very successful Grand Masters Reception.

Our District Masonic Foundation continues to be successful with close to \$10,000 be raised and forwarded to following charities: Elgin-Middlesex VON, St. Thomas-Elgin Health Unit, Chron's & Colitis and continuing support of the Tatum Blackwell Fund which was started last year by the members of St. Marks Lodge No. 94.

On my official visits this years, I was pleased with the turnout which ranged from the smallest of 61 to largest being 99. The support of the District Worshipful Master was excellent at the visits where no less than 6 of 10 Worshipful Masters in attendance. District Officers filled their respective roles and I was very pleased to have all 17 of them at the final official visit in April at St. David's Lodge No. 302.

The support received from my mother lodge, Warren Lodge No. 120, Fingal, was very much appreciated and I thank you very much for proposing my name. We sure had fun journeying around our District together. I pleased to be able to take part in a number of pin presentations in the various lodges, but the ones that were a highlight this year, was being able to make a presentation of a Lewis Jewel. It was special to be able to present this, but even more special to allow a father to make this presentation to his son. Each of these evenings was very special.

I have had the honour of journeying outside my district on numerous occasions and welcomed with a handshake and excellent hospitality. The friendship established will continue for many years to come. I most certainly would like to thank our District Secretary, W. Bro. George Leverton for his role in assisting me this year. I could not have done it without, W. Bro. Leverton and all the best in the future.

Thanks to all of the brethren of St. Thomas District for a memorable year that I will cherish for many years to come.

Sarnia District – 17 Lodges

R. W. Bro. Leslie F. Armstrong

Freemasonry continues to flourish in Sarnia District. Visitation seems to be a vital part of success in the lodges. There is always a great crowd at the Official Visits. All the lodges seem to show great support for one another. Our membership is increasing steadily with new members although we have lost a number of great Masons to the Grand Lodge above.

Protocol and etiquette are well observed in most of the lodges. All guests and visitors were well received in all the lodges of Sarnia District.

The Degree Work and Ritual have been performed 1 most cases in an excellent manner. Finances vary from lodge to lodge, although most are doing well.

We have been busy in Sarnia District with our District Ladies Night, the District Golf Tournament, and our Bro. Harry Cooper Night which was held to honour him for receiving the William Mercer Wilson Medal. Tuscan Lodge No. 437 held its Annual Festive Board, while other lodges held Christmas Dinners, BBQ's, and even an information booth at the County Fair.

Many lodges held pin presentations for 25 yr, 50 yr, and 60 yr Service Awards. We also presented many Lewis Jewels to many Masons.

We started out the Masonic year with 17 lodges. On October 23, 2006 Otisippi #719 went into darkness, leaving Sarnia District with 16 lodges.

Our District Divine Service was held in June. This was a new approach to have an outdoor service on the Shores of Lake Huron at the Lambton United Church Centre.

Another new event is our 1st Annual Sarnia District BBQ to be held on August 11th, 2007 at the Cramlachie Community Centre. We are all hoping this 1st Annual BBQ will be a great success.

We travelled in and out of Sarnia District throughout this past Masonic year. Our Grand Lodge Officers were received in a most excellent manner.

I feel Sarnia District will continue to be stable. I see younger men joining our fraternity and this is a very positive move that will keep lodges healthy for many years to come.

We were honoured to have our Grand Master visit us at many different Lodge and District functions. We are certainly proud of the fine job our own Most Worshipful Brother Gary L. Atkinson has done and is doing during his term as Grand Master.

South Huron – 13 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Allan M. Stewart

Overall, the condition of Masonry in South Huron is quite good. Several Lodges reported record numbers (in recent years) at their official DDGM visits. The same was true for the District Divine Service and the District Ladies Night.

The “new” Craig Lodge No. 574 in Ailsa Craig, which is an amalgamation of three previous lodges in the district, finished its first year. They now stand as a strong and viable lodge with 158 members on the registry and whose finances are in good shape. They boast an average attendance at regular meetings of 30. Their lodge won the “Traveling Gavel” more times than any other in the district.

St. James Lodge No. 73 is experiencing a re-birth of sorts. The 149 year old lodge recently moved into a new lodge room at a new site. The room is in its own building, which is divided between the lodge room and a banquet room. The lodge was dedicated on May 12, 2007. The excitement of completely renovating the building, cleaning and moving the furniture and the dedication has affected many members. Not only has existing brethren returned to the lodge, but they have initiated eight new members in one year.

In an attempt to give back to the community and bolster awareness of Masonry in young people, the Stratford Lodge No. 332 has begun a DeMolay Club in Stratford.

Sudbury-Manitoulin District – 9 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Peter L. Gordon

During my year in office I have been very conscious of my debt to the Master and members of Sudbury Manitoulin District for the honour and privilege of serving them as District t Deputy Grand Master and for the cooperation they have shown me. I am also grateful to my District Secretary, W. Bro. Art Madore, without whom I could not have managed the year.

There are two significant events that highlight my year of office: 1. Being invested as District Deputy Grand Master 25 years after, and in the presence of, my own father, R. W. Bro. Stan Gordon, and , 2. Having our Grand Master, M.W. Bro. Gary L. Atkinson at the Celebration of the Centennial of my mother lodge, Gore Bay Lodge No. 472 on September 9, 2006.

Sudbury-Manitoulin District is made up of nine (9) lodges spread over an area that is 280 kilometres in length. Our membership boasts 958 Masons, all of whom endeavour to continue the vibrancy and zeal of the institution well into the next century. Indeed, one lodge having attained the milestone of 100 years of Masonry this year, is but one of three that have reached this level in the last sixteen years, and of 3 others who will make that in the next 20 years. Brethren from every walk of life are members of the craft. We initiated 26 men into the Fraternity this Masonic year, where we lost 21 to the Grand Lodge Above.

Lodges continue to participate in reciprocal visits, indeed, Nickel Lodge and Friendship Lodge have carried on the tradition for 47 years this year! The Ritual is conducted in accordance with the Book of the Work, 2007 Edition, and the Installation is conducted using the 2001 version of that Ritual.

Our Masonic Choir continues to entertain the Brethren and non-masons throughout the District, having attended the District Divine Service in Gore Bay in April, and participated in many other functions over the course of the year.

The Belrock Apartment continues to be made available for visiting Brethren and /or their families when attending a hospital in the Sudbury area for medical treatments, or appointments.

The Java guild continues to flourish, and each Tuesday they serve coffee and lunch to over 70 Brethren and visitors for \$3.00. This is their fifth year, and they have donated

over this time over \$24,000 to worthy caused inside and outside the District.

I was able to witness a degree in each lodge in the District on each of my Official Visits, and have or will have attended all the Installations in the District. I attended an Initiation in North Bay Lodge No. 617 on February 23, 2007 for a candidate Trevor Williamson who is the son-in-law of one our Past District Deputy Grand Masters, R. W. Bro. Bill Clark.

My District Secretary accompanied me on every Official Visit, and he reports that all lodges are in a sound financial position, buildings are well maintained, and that the records of all Lodge Secretaries are in excellent condition.

Sudbury-Manitoulin District is a vibrant and dynamic District. We continue to grow, this year having a net increase in the number of members in the District, and with the interest in the Java Guild continuing to build, it bodes well for our future. The lodges are all in good shape, physically as well as financially, and the membership profile is getting younger every year.

Temiskaming District – 8 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Richard R. Kallio

Masonry in Temiskaming District is at a crossroads.

Lodges in this district continue to struggle with membership and attendance issues. District membership is now below 540, with an average membership per lodge of 67 and an average monthly attendance of 13. While some lodges have demonstrably begun to rebuild, others are at critical mass and will not be sustainable in the lodge term unless membership is increased. Lodge closures and amalgamations within this district remain a possibility. Membership is, therefore, a critical issue. Fortunately, all lodges have a core group of dedicated brethren to sustain their operation in the short term, and serve as a platform for rebuilding.

The immediate and thorough implementation of Grand Lodge programmes, particularly Friend-to-Friend, Brother-to-Brother, and Mentors, is strongly urged for all lodges. These programmes have a proven track record of augmenting member satisfaction and increasing lodge membership. Much can also be done toward raising awareness of the Craft among non-Masons.

Lodges are also urged to increase their efforts with respect to Long Range Planning. The Long Range Plan must be viewed for what it is - a living, dynamic document that must be revisited each year and revised as necessary.

The ritual continues to be accorded dignity and respect. However, brethren from several lodges must often collaborate in order to properly portray degrees. Protocol is reasonably well observed throughout the district.

Lodges in this district are generally financially stable, although many do not have a substantial reserve fund. This may prove a source of concern should some calamity strike their core membership.

The district fundraising project instituted in 2005-2006 and carried over to June 2007 has surpassed all expectations by raising over \$15,000 toward the Northern Ontario School of Medicine - Charter Class Bursary Fund. This is living proof that the lesson of the Northeast Angle has not been lost on the brethren of this district. More broadly speaking, it also demonstrates that the concerted efforts of many can make an enormous difference. If the same effort is applied to the membership issue, Masonry in Temiskaming District should be restored to a position of health and vibrancy.

Toronto Don Valley District – 21 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Keith F. Macdonald

This year was one of change. Toronto Don Valley being a new District formed by the Grand Lodge at last year's Communication started with 24 Lodges. York 156 and Bedford 638 amalgamated in September, St. Clair 577 moving to Rameses and amalgamated with Ashlar 247, and Zetland 326, Wilson 86, Occident 346 and Harmony 438 in January with the Grand Master and the Grand Lodge Officers and many visitors made the evening at each most enjoyable. Ten lodges meet at York Masonic Temple in

Leaside and eleven lodges meet at Thornhill Masonic Hall in Thornhill. These new location makes it easier for travelling and hopefully visiting will be easier in the coming years.

The visitation to each Lodge by the District Secretary and myself had been welcomed with respect and courtesy. Most of the Lodges in the District are doing well, with one Lodge needing help in most area and another needing financial advise. The majority of the Lodges are financially sound with good investments and some having a strong budget.

The Long Range Planning Committee is working to install a sound plan that each Lodge can follow and work to strengthen each Lodge.

All the Committee Members supported the District this year and travelled with the District Deputy Grand Master to the Official Visits. Good friendships were made and this does help in cementing District relationships.

It my pleasure to meet with two students that reserved Bursaries in the amount of \$800.00 each that helped them finish their final year. The Ontario Masonic Foundation must be congratulated on a dedication to the Craft.

I travelled out side of the District which was very rewarding and I was able to meet new Brethren and talk with old friends.

I was proud with the association between the Canadian Diabetes Association, "The Charles H. Best Research" and our District. With a few Social Events, like Ladies Night, Golf Tournament, Trivial Night and the Meet & Greet we have been able to raise over \$10,000.00 for this charity.

The high-lite of my year was two fold, the meeting of all the Candidates, and the friendly members of the new District.

I enjoyed the first year of Toronto Don Valley, and with the support that I did receive I know that next year is in good hands with who ever becomes the new District Deputy Grand Master.

Toronto East District – 24 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Robert McDowell

Toronto East District was formed from 4 of the previous 7 Toronto Districts, 3,4, 6, and 7. Our goal was to bring the new district together as possible and thanks to the efforts of the Masters', Senior Wardens' and Junior Wardens' groups and their enthusiasm this was achieved. Visitations at Official Visits and Installations was up considerably, which certainly helped to bring the brethren together and made the transition very smooth.

The District events were well attended and I must congratulate the brethren for the turnout at the Remembrance Day Services and the Divine Service.

The District Charity Windreach Farms was well supported by all lodges in the district and the goal of \$24,000.00 was reached and surpassed.

Toronto East held an innaugural District Gala which although not as well attended as hoped was a successful evening and will be continued as I am sure it will be a high light of the Masonic Year especially for lodges in the district who do not hold Ladies Nights.

Many lodges were busy with initiations this year in a large part due to the F2F program. I was happy to see this program in use but caution must be observed with respect to the investigation of candidates who have submitted applications from mall events or from the community F2F nights held at the local Masonic Centre. We certainly want new members in Masonry but for the right reasons.

Although our district did see a rise in initiations there was also an increase in Masonic Funerals as 19 were held in Toronto East. One other concern is the number of Masons in the GTA who retire and move to smaller communities. Some can afford to pay dues to their Mother Lodge and affiliate elsewhere while others can't.

Toronto East District will probably see 1 or 2 lodge amalgamations in the next Masonic Year. Hopefully this will rejuvenate the combined lodges and they will embrace the F2F, and B2B programs and build a strong foundation for the future.

One concern is the lack of use of some of the district communities, especially LRP,

and Education. Would like to see more lodges take advantage of these groups especially on nights when no degree work is being performed.

Toronto Humber Valley District – 24 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Paul J. Monaghan

Overall the quality of the work in the district is very good. We were very fortunate to be the host District for one of the sessions of the Grand Lodge, Lodges of Instruction which was well attended and many of the important points regarding the mechanics of the degree work have been incorporated within the lodges.

Unfortunately the lodges that are most often in need of attending such workshops were not present and this was reflected in some of the Official Visits. There has been an increase in membership with 17 out of the 24 lodges having new candidates. Most Grand Lodge programs are being used, however a few lodges could benefit more by using and adopting them. On September 12, 2006 the amalgamation of Zeta #410 and Shamrock #535, and on January 31, 2007 the amalgamation of Ashlar #247 and St. Clair #577, and on April 11, 2007 the amalgamation of Parkdale #510 and Coronation #677 which all of these amalgamations took place with the attendance of the Grand Master, the Deputy Grand Master and many Grand Lodge Officers.

On the Community level the same lodges that had community programs in the past still have them now. They are Humber Lodge #305, which holds there annual Christmas Party for single mothers and children. Mount Dennis Lodge #599 who continue to support the Community Association for Riding for the Disabled. The District had success in many events such as Education Nights, and a Golf Tournament. The District Project was in support of Cinnamon Toast Housing for Dignified Women the goal was set at \$10,000.00 and we exceeded that number with an amount over \$22,000.00 dollars. Many thanks to the dedication and generosity of all the brethren of the District in achieving the.

I would like to thank all of the Brethren for giving me the Privilege of being the first Grand Master's representative for the Toronto Humber Valley District.

Toronto West District – 22 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Charles A. Woods

In general, the health of Toronto West is good. Ritual is mostly very good even though it can be said that it can always improve. The same is true for protocol and etiquette for which the bar must always be kept high, lest that, which we are proud of as Masons, declines until it is unrecognizable and becomes of no use or value to anyone - let alone proud Freemasons.

Of the 22 lodges, four declared an increase, nine a decrease and nine a steady membership.

The realignment of Districts affected Toronto West numbers in that we replaced one strong Lodge (Anniversary #733) with another strong Lodge (University #496). The integration of University has been very positive and smooth.

While the brethren have great opportunity to avail themselves of excellent Grand Lodge and District Programs, their very busy lives with family and work commitments all too often cause conflict and guilt leading to mediocre attendance, which is shame after so many dedicated brethren work so hard to put on excellent presentations.

Most of our programs are running at a high level with incredibly dedication on behalf of the devoted brethren who organize them. Our District project, providing support to shelters for Battered and Abused Women and Children, has really struck a chord with the brethren and has been very successful.

The warmth, courtesy and respect with which the District Secretary and myself were received at every Lodge meeting has been humbling and moving.

It has been an incredible honour and privilege to represent our Grand Master, M.W. Bro. Gary L. Atkinson, as the inaugural DDGM of Toronto West this year and I am so thankful for this once-in-a-lifetime experience.

Toronto West has had a great first year and has a very bright future in Freemasonry due to the dedication and efforts of all its brethren.

Toronto York District – 21 Lodges

R.W. Bro. G. S. Joe Whitmore

This being the first year for the Toronto York District, the dissection that was predicted by many did not materialize. For the most part, the Lodges and members have embraced our realignment with enthusiasm and support.

The ritual work with little exception is very well performed in Toronto York. All the Lodges have many Past Masters with experience who offer their support to their respective Lodges.

Protocol and etiquette is practised to its fullest extent whether it is at the banquet hour or within the Lodge room. It is obvious that the directors of ceremony and masters communicate well with each other to achieve such quality.

Membership within the District with only one exception is steady if not starting to increase. Several of the Lodges have reported to me that since their Official Visits in the fall, they have recently seen an increase in applicants. It would appear many men in their thirties and forties are searching for that stable fraternity their forefathers enjoyed. Possibly with our growing communities, Masonry may see new growth for the betterment of mankind.

Most Lodges report that their finances are stable; however the temple boards in some cases are showing weakness due to rising taxes and insurance costs.

This past year, Toronto York District witnessed two amalgamations. One leading to the formation of the new Maple Lodge No. 543 G.R.C. from the former Vaughan Lodge and Mizpah Lodge. Harmony Lodge amalgamated with three other Lodges in the Toronto Don Valley District. These amalgamations changed our District from 23 Lodges to 21. In the futures, Toronto York District may see some further geographical changes, but at this time that is only speculation.

A few of the Lodges have implemented some of the Brother to Brother programs and have had a few former brothers return to Lodge. The most important committee would be the mentoring and education of the new initiates. The more they understand what our ritual tries to convey, the more likely they are to enjoy and expand their Masonic knowledge.

Most of the Lodges do partake in community events and include their families. The Lodges, who participate to the utmost, show the largest increase in membership.

Long range planning at this point in time may be a bit premature. With visitation between Lodges and filling our present Lodge buildings for Official Visits and Installations, I think just becoming familiar with one another should be allowed to take its natural course for the next year or so.

The District this year has had several events including Grand Lodge of Instruction, a Curling Bonspiel in which three teams had to be turned away as the venue was not large enough, and a District Ladies' Night which was well attended. As I write this report our Golf Tournament and Divine Service remains to take place.

The Wardens Association has been very active with their degree team and is hosting the Spring Business meeting. Plans are in place for next year to have a Chapter of the DeMolay in the Toronto York District.

This upcoming year will see at least one Lodge preparing to celebrate their 100th Anniversary and at least three Lodges preparing for their 150th Anniversaries. 2007 and 2008 will prove to be wonderful and exciting years for Toronto York District.

Victoria District – 13 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Donald M. Burgomaster

Masonry in Victoria District impresses me as a devout community of brethren that enjoy practising the principles that our fraternity is founded upon. There is a spirit of support and cooperation amongst all the lodges. The visitation at official visits and special occasions as well as memorial services is never failing and always practised. The fourteen lodges are located in thirteen different communities throughout this far reaching rural District in south central Ontario. Lindsay is the hub in the middle with its two

lodges sharing the largest Masonic Hall in the District. The Trent Severn Waterway winds through this agriculture and timberland into the beautiful lakes and highlands of Haliburton. The beauty of this District is attracting people to relocate, and Masons are often affiliating to the local lodges.

The oldest, Faithful Brethren (Lindsay), celebrated its 150th anniversary and we were very pleased to receive the Grand Master for this celebration. Gothic lodge #608 (Lindsay), our youngest lodge, celebrated its 85th year. We were very pleased to welcome our Deputy Grand Master to our ladies night in May. The district hosted the Grand Secretaries and Computer Resources Session in December, which was well attended and appreciated. In January we hosted the session on Mentors, Friend to Friend, Brother to Brother and Officers Progression. These presentations were well done and well received.

Community involvement is foremost with all the lodges; from a well attend District Divine Service with Masons, family and friends, to community fund raising, food banks, blood donors, curling and golfing tournaments, Barbecue's, ladies nights and special Christmas programs. The District Project is fund raising for the two children's centres in the District and all lodges have been very supportive with special projects; in particular, the Motorcycle Poker Run is to be acknowledged in their continued efforts for the cause of good.

Reflecting on the year I see a stabilizing of the membership with most lodges receiving applicants, there is a very supportive group of Past Masters and Past Grand Lodge Officers. The ritual work would rate from fair to exceptional, the protocol and etiquette is good to excellent and there is respect and sincerity expressed.

This has been a very memorable year for me and I appreciate the help, cooperation and respect that I have received both in Victoria District and beyond.

Waterloo District – 15 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Glenn H. Russell

It is my honour and pleasure to report on the condition of Masonry in Waterloo District. We have again this year enjoyed a steady growth of new men into masonry this year, but not as many as we have enjoyed in the past couple of years. Of the 15 lodges in Waterloo District all but two lodges did not have a new member this year and we have had 16 members pass to the Grand Lodge above. The average age of the new members is around 30 and most of them found out about Masonry through the Internet, which I believe, have been one of the biggest contributors to Masonry in the past couple of years, alone with our presents at the International Ploughing Match and the Fergus Highland Games.

This year Waterloo District hosted a number of Grand Lodge Programme Events such as: Lodge of Instruction, Mentors & Officer Progression, Friend to Friend, Computer Resource and Long Range Planning work shop/seminars and fro the most part attendance was very good. There is however some Lodges in the District that did not attend any of these work shops/seminars and it is showing that membership & financially they are not doing as well. These few Lodges in Waterloo District should be looking at amalgamation in the next year before these Lodges go dark forever. Visitation within Waterloo District is very good and there are a few Lodges who participate with visitations out side Of Waterloo District and our Grand Jurisdiction, however again there are some who wish not to visit within the District or participate in the different District activities and Grand Lodge Programmes, and unfortunately the future for these Lodges does not bode well.

Most of the in the District are financially sound while others could benefit from Long Range and Budgetary Planning. All of our Lodges demonstrate a love for the craft and a sincere desire to learn as evidenced by the increased Masonic Educations at nearly all the meeting nights and the participation of the many brethren at my Official Visits with my Lodge of Discussion. There is however still some room for improvement, ritual and degree work would benefit greatly from increased visitation and attendance at the Lodge of Instruction, Grand Lodge Programme workshop/seminars and at District inter-lodge visitation.

Masonry in Waterloo District is still STRONG, ALIVE and WELL, and the brethren have participated in many different District events in the past year such as:

Masons/Knights Golf Tournament, District Golf Tournament, Dart Night, Military Table Lodge, District Curling Bonspiel, Waterloo/Wellington Theatre Night and the 2nd annual Euchre Night, and have helped raise monies for the District Charity – The National Service Dogs.

The future of Waterloo District is very good and is very good hands with the number of Past Masters, Masters and Past District Deputy Grand Masters, which are planning and taking steps to ensure that we stay ALIVE and move forward with Masonry in our District. We also are looking to revive the lodges, which are not visiting as much as they could be on a regular basis, and to participate in the different District Events and programmes. As far as our new members we also need to ensure that each lodge in the District keeps these Brethren informed and involved in the mentors programme and have them visit with others lodges in the District that are conferring the same degree that they have just gone through. This should be done before they advance to the next degree as well.

The future of Masonry is here NOW and it is up to us to take hold of it and keep it moving forward, For The Good Of Masonry!

I would now like to take this time to thank the Brethren of Waterloo District and our Grand Master to afford me the most GRATIFYING experience to serve as D.D.G.M. of an Outstanding District and Grand Master!

Wellington District – 12 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Donald J. Hamilton

Wellington District is rich in diversity. With 6 lodges in Guelph, including a Daylight Lodge, 2 lodges in each of Fergus and Georgetown, and lodges in Drayton and Erin; we comprise Masons who despite diversity of location, livelihood and skill sets are principally united by the bonds of friendship. There is strength in the lodges in each of the communities in which we operate, although significant differences are evident among those lodges.

We have been able to identify and address a number of significant problems in particular lodges this year, and in each of those cases, the Master and Officers of those lodges have sought, or accepted; establishment of Grand Lodge programs or significant analysis of past and current trends with confident expectation that new direction can be found for their lodge. The newly amalgamated Walker-Friendship Lodge is a pleasure to visit, as their officers are youthful and exuberant.

Every lodge has had candidates this year. Lodge officers have had frequent opportunities to present the Work to their own candidates. On balance, the Work in Wellington District is reasonably well-presented and there are individuals in each of the lodges who are working to maintain a high standard with the mechanics of the work.

As well as the Grand Master's Reception and Banquet, Wellington lodges have supported a wide variety of events including Lodges of Instruction, Lodges of Discussion, Guelph Masonic Centre cornerstone ceremony, celebration with Wyndham Lodge of their 50th anniversary with three other 50- year lodges from three neighbouring Districts, continued support for Wellington District's Bursary, Masonic display at the Fergus Highland Games, and Open Doors Canada open house.

It has been a great honour to have represented Trillium Lodge No. 724 as DDGM for Wellington District 2006-2007. I have been joined in lodge this year by my son Duncan whose high expectations have encouraged me to make Masonry inclusive for every member at every meeting. W. Bro. Les Sulzer has earned my gratitude as well as the support and trust with which he is greeted in every lodge.

Western District – 10 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Terry A. Dunbar

Western District is comprised of 10 lodges with a total membership of just over 700. Between 2000 and 2005 the District membership declined by just over 15% with every

lodge reporting losses. During 2006-2007 all lodges have had at least one initiation with one initiating four new members. We have every reason to believe that this growth will continue into the foreseeable future.

The overall condition of Masonry in Western District is good. The quality of work I have observed is above average and conforms to all rules and instructions from Grand Lodge. Most of the lodges are financially sound with 3 or 4 enjoying additional income from rental properties and /or investment income. They do not have financial plans and rely on periodic reports from the lodge treasurer to keep them up to date on their current financial status.

The lodges of Western District are spread out over a large area of Northwestern Ontario. To accommodate a visit to each lodge in the jurisdiction I travelled a total of 3320 kms and had many late nights returning home. I am indebted to many of the Brethren who accompanied me on those visits. The large geographic separation of our lodges inhibits inter lodge visitation. Most lodges operate in a state of isolation both from Grand Lodge and from other District lodges.

The lodges are usually operated and managed by a small core of dedicated Masons. They work very hard to maintain and uphold the basic Masonic principles. People naturally resist change and Masons are no different. They find it difficult to accept and implement new programmes introduced by Grand Lodge. I feel that more work has to be done to convince the Brethren of the benefits of these programmes.

There are two highlights of my term I wish to include in this summary. The first occurred in September 2006 when, Deputy Grand Master R.W. Bro. Al Petrisor and I welcomed several Brethren and their ladies from Hannibal Lodge No. 224 G.R.I of St. George's Bermuda to Kenora. While visiting they attended two regular lodge meetings and with their ladies, were hosted at several social functions held in their honour.

The second highlight took place in March of 2007 during my official visit to Ionic Lodge No. 461 in Rainy River. I had the honour of presenting a Grand Lodge certificate for 70 years a Past Master to 103 year old W. Bro. Clifford Park, who was Master of Ionic Lodge in 1936.

This summary would not be complete, and I would be remiss if I did not acknowledge and express my appreciation for the dedication and hard work of my District Secretary W. Bro. David White. His devotion to his duties and responsibilities and to Masonry went above and beyond the call of duty.

This year as District Deputy Grand Master of Western District has been the pinnacle of my 40 year Masonic career. It has been my pleasure, privilege and honour to serve the Brethren of the District.

Wilson North District – 11 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Beverley C. Burrill

First I wish to thank our Grand Master for allowing me the honour to serve as his representative in Wilson North during 2006-2007. Thanks also to the Brethren of the District who allowed me to put my name forward and extended the privilege to serve them, and also supported our District efforts.

Membership in our District has continued to decline with members passings, demits and suspensions. We are suggesting we hold three Friend-to-Friend nights each year as a minimum to cover the entire District. Being Ingersoll, Woodstock, and Ingersoll and inviting lodges outside these areas to participate. Several such evenings have shown improvements as of late.

The attitude in Wilson North is good and the future looks bright. Degree work is generally good with some improvement needed in some lodges which will be realized by following ritual as written.

Wilson South – 10 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Neil A. Dolson

I must thank the members of the Lodges in my District for their support this past year. The Worshipful Masters, Secretaries, Past Grand Lodge Officers, the District Team and

the brethren that travelled with me helped to make this year special. It is these brethren that are keeping Masonry alive in Wilson South. I would be remiss if I did not thank especially the District Secretary, W. Bro. John Roberts for his dedicated service to the District and his support and friendship to me.

The Lodges in Wilson South all hold regular meetings and perform the ritual in an acceptable manner. There are also some emergent meetings held to accommodate degree work. There is a wide variance in crispness of the ritual work done but generally it is performed to standard and certainly with no lack of enthusiasm. The finances of the lodges in the District vary greatly and while we have very well to do Lodges we also have Lodges that struggle to make ends meet. Regardless of this fact the spirit of Benevolence is alive and well within the District. Visitation within and outside the District has improved somewhat and will only pay dividends in the long term if continued.

There continue to be some significant issues outside the realm of Ritual and Finance in the District and while disappointing within our craft they do need to be addressed for the brethren to move forward and prosper as we ought. Past Masters and Grand Lodge support both become crucial in helping work through these issues for the benefit of the craft in general. Support from Long Range planning resources is likely most desirable.

I can not adequately express how enriching and enjoyable this past year has been for me personally as DDGM. I have rekindled lost relationships, cemented existing ones and had the privilege of starting many, many new friendships not only across the District but also outside of the District and even outside our Grand Jurisdiction. As this year draws to a close it is not an end for me but truly a new beginning.

Windsor District – 9 Lodges

R. W. Bro. Don Warner

APPENDIX C

DEPUTY GRAND MASTER'S THANKS TO R.W. Bro. Ron Aungst

Most Worshipful the Grand Master, distinguished Head Table Guests, Right Worshipful Brother Aungst, our guest speaker, and brethren.

It is once again a very delightful opportunity and a privilege to be able to thank our Guest Speaker this evening.

I first met R.W. Bro. Aungst about a year and half ago at the Conference of GMs in Nashville. I found him to be a most outgoing fellow, interesting to speak with and a strong believer of doing the job right.

Well, tonight was no exception, as you have heard. He does it right. A few months ago I asked him if he would send along a prepared text of his intended speech. He told me, Al I speak without notes. I said, well it's the Deputy's responsibility to thank you and that means that I'll have to listen to what you are speaking about. Brethren as it turns out that was no problem as I found his speech most interesting, as I am sure you did as well.

His thoughts on Masonry and the pride of being a Mason have challenged us to make the best of our lives, to build relationships of value, to be proud of our Masonry by practising our charitable ways and living the virtues we learn in Lodge. Your thoughts on our Youth groups were enlightening and the comparisons to Freemasonry were interesting.

R.W. Sir, the rapt attention and tremendous applause which our brethren gave to you indicates their appreciation and now I add on their behalf a very genuine and sincere THANK YOU.

Allan J. Petrisor
Deputy Grand Master

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